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PRESIDENT WANTS THE WHIPPING POST

RUSSIAN SAILORS MUTINY ON BATTLESHIP

WASHINGTON, Dec. 14---The whipping post for the District of Columbia will be established, if Congress should enact a measure which Representative Adams of Pennsylvania has introduced.

Mr. Adams talked to the President today about the bill, and at the conclusion of his interview quoted the President as being heartily in favor of the passage of the measure.

COLOMBO, Ceylon, Dec. 14---A hundred Russians on board the Russian battleship Czarevitch, in the harbor here, revolted today. Military assistance was asked for and sent and fifty of the mutineers were taken ashore.

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 13, Wednesday morning, via Eydtkuhnen, East Prussia, Dec. 14---The news from the Baltic provinces today is that many of the German landlords who have not fled are establishing forts and standing siege. There has been much killing and burning.

TORCH FOR THE HOMES

Russian Peasants Are a Lawless Band of Thieves.

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 13, (Wednesday night, via Edythuhnen, East Prussia, Dec. 14.—The government's advices today from the Baltic provinces forwarded part of the way from Riga by courier, are of the most alarming character. Bands of thousands of Lettish peasants are roaming the country in the vicinity of Riga, putting the torch to the houses on all the estates and even threatening the town of Riga itself.

The districts of Riga and Vendon are entirely in the hands of the insurgents. The revolt is spreading to all parts of Courland.

All railway communication with Riga is cut off. The insurgents have seized a number of stations on the three railroads leading from that city and are advancing against others.

According to the government's information, all sailors from the commercial steamers in the harbor of Riga have joined the strike. The government claims that the troops there are loyal, though inadequate.

The situation is also bad at Mitau, where on December 11 the troops fired on the rioters.

MILLION IS LOST

Witness Tells of Affairs of Metiopolitan Life Company.

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—Haley Fiske, vice-president of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, was the first witness to testify before the legislative investigating committee today.

When the committee adjourned yesterday Mr. Fiske was reading a statement of the lapses in the industrial department of his company's business. Mr. Fiske made a further statement on that subject today.

Mr. Fiske asserted that lapses cause no serious loss to the insured, as the average amount paid on lapsed individual policies in 1900 was only 72 cents for which the insured received protection for ten to twelve weeks.

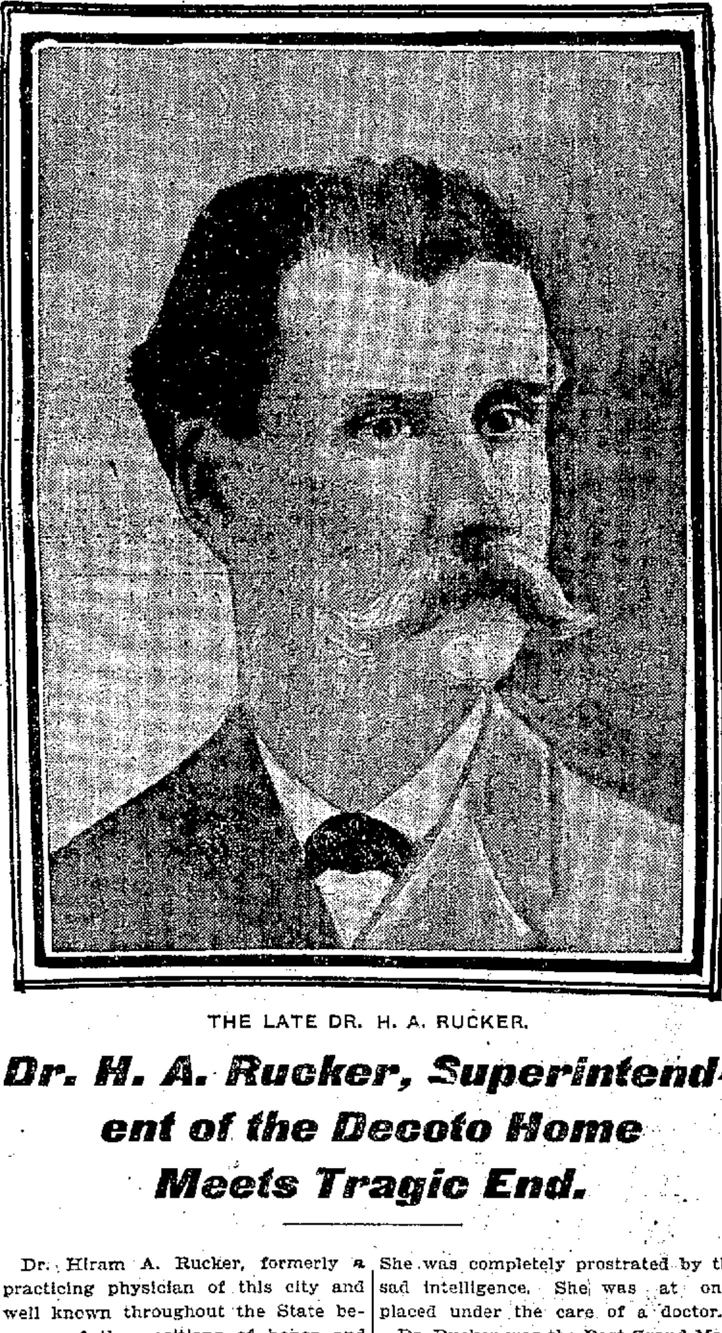
The total loss to the company on lapses in 1900, Mr. Fiske said, was $1,070,000; the number of policies canceled was 5,332, and the average loss to the company was $1.86 on a policy.

Attorney Hughes examined the method which the company arrived at these figures.

Mr. Fiske said that more than 16,000 agents left the employ of the Metropolitan Company in 1904. It had about 11,000 agents in its employ at the beginning and about the same number at the end of the year.

Mr. Hughes went into an exhaustive examination of the items composing the cost of getting new business in 1904 in order to compare it with the loss estimate on new business in that year. [illegible]

KILLED BY THE TRAIN



THE LATE DR. H. A. RUCKER.

Dr. H. A. Rucker, Superintendent of the Decoto Home Meets Tragic End.

Dr. Hiram A. Rucker, formerly a practicing physician of this city and well known throughout the State because of the positions of honor and trust that he has held, was instantly killed last night by the westbound Livermore train at Decoto, while returning from a meeting of the board of directors of the Masonic Home of Decoto, held in San Francisco. The fatal accident occurred at 6:15 o'clock, but was not witnessed by anyone. Dr. Rucker was the superintendent of the Decoto Home.

STRUCK BY TRAIN.

As nearly as can be ascertained, Dr. Rucker stepped off the eastbound train and was struck by the westbound train. His skull was badly fractured and his body mangled. Manuel Bettencourt, a driver of a milk wagon, was the first person to discover the remains by the side of the track, where the body had been tossed by the locomotive. His horse shied at the body lying on the ground and called the driver's attention to it.

WIFE PROSTRATED.

The authorities of the home were notified of the grewsome find by Bettencourt, and the body was removed to the institution where the deceased was formerly master. Dr. Rucker leaves a wife, who on account of her delicate health, was not at first notified of the terrible accident. She was informed that her husband had been severely injured, and the worst might by expected. At 11 o'clock, five hours after the accident, the wife was informed that her husband [illegible] dead. She was completely prostrated by the sad intelligence. She was at once placed under the care of a doctor.

Dr. Rucker was the Past Grand Master of the Masonic Order in the State of California. He had held various other positions of honor in the order. He was regarded everywhere as an exemplary citizen and Mason.

HE LIVED HERE.

Several years ago Dr. Rucker had offices on Broadway, where he enjoyed a large practice. From this city he went to Merced, and from there took charge of the Stockton Asylum for the Insane. He was afterwards appointed superintendent of the Masonic Home at Decoto. At one time he was a member of the local Board of Health.

He leaves, besides a wife, a daughter, Miss Robin Rucker, who at the present time is attending the Mills Seminary. Her engagement was announced Tuesday to Anthony Warfield Meany.

MEN DROWNED AS THEY SLEPT

BROWNSVILLE, Pa., Dec. 14.—Four persons were drowned in the Monongahela river today as the result of the passenger steamer Rose Hite colliding with the towboat Joe F. Klein and sinking in fourteen feet of water. All the dead were employed on the steamer as deckhands and were drowned while they slept. The boat carried fourteen passengers but all were gotten to shore safely.

ON TRIAL TRIP.

ROCKLAND, Me., Dec. 14.—The battleship Louisiana started on her four hours' endurance run today on a straight course from Monhegan Island [illegible] Boston.

BELIEVES IN DIVORCE COURT

Berkeley Woman Makes Sensational Address Before a Club.

That divorce is not necessarily an evil, but in many instances, a remedy for a disease, that it operates so extensively because of laxity of teaching in reference to moral standards before marriage, and the absence of proper care and exercise of wisdom in many who rush blindly into matrimony, and that race suicide may come about through war, political corruption and viciousness of living, which may cause the black and the yellow races to supercede the white, were the decidedly interesting views of Mrs. Louise Benson, of San Francisco, as expressed in a paper on "Marriage, Race Suicide and Divorce," read before the quarterly meeting of the Berkeley Political Equality Society this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The gathering was held in the sumptuously appointed library of Mrs. C. C. Hall's magnificent home on Hillside avenue, between Dwight way and Channing, and included many of Berkeley's most prominent matrons, more than 100 invitations having been issued.

Mrs. Benson did not read the paper herself, as she was too ill, so her hostess, Mrs. Hall, acted in her stead.

The reply of former Congressman John F. Shafroth, of Colorado, to ex-President Grover Cleveland's attack on woman suffrage, also served to interest the members of the club.

Mrs. Benson quoted Count Tolstoi, Professor Huxley and others in proof of the theory that the birth rate is determined, in great measure, not only by the social forces, but by certain, as yet, mysterious forces of civilization, now at high pressure in Europe and in the United States.

Mrs. Benson said that as long as the restrictions on the marriage of the unfit were so lax as at present divorce would necessarily follow. It is fallacious to represent the institution of divorce as, in itself, a menace to social morality. To forbid the use of a remedy does not prove that there is no disease.

Mrs. Benson said: "These statistics and opinions help us to arrive at some of the causes of the present discontent. Nor can this discontent in fairness be attributed to the existence and action of women's educational and social clubs, to women's social relations in general, nor to the mothers of the race, nor even to the course of one nation.

"The problems in process of adjustment are those of all society as now organized, and we must believe that these problems will find their truest solution in nations where women are free to develop their natural abilities, the same being fostered and protected by the State."

HE JUMPED TO SAVE HIS LIFE

W. H. Harris is Saved From Death by Brave Act of a Trainman.

Crazed by the rapid approach of a Southern Pacific train, W. H. Harris, a Welshman, this morning jumped from the Southern Pacific trestle on Seventh street and narrowly escaped drowning.

Harris, who was considerably under the influence of liquor, was taking a short cut from East Oakland to his home at the Nevada Rooming House, and upon hearing the train whistle behind him at once took off his coat and waved it as a signal to stop.

As the train came nearer and nearer, Harris, fearing that he would be killed, jumped twenty feet to the water. The train was brought to a stop over the spot where Harris was seen to disappear.

Train Gateman E. Clark was the first to see the rapidly-drowning man and without an instant's hesitation pluckily jumped to his assistance and after a heroic struggle in the chilly waters succeeded in swimming with Harris to the shore adjoining where he was assisted by Train Gateman Alden.

Harris was put at once on board the train and brought to the Receiving Hospital, where it was found that he was suffering considerably from the shock induced principally by the blending of too much salt water with that of the whisky his stomach contained.

Harris is 39 years of age, a builder by trade and for only a short time has resided in this city.

HEAVY FINE IS GIVEN A NEGLIGENT MILKMAN

Manuel Furtado, proprietor of a dairy on the outskirts of East Oakland, was this morning sentenced to pay a fine of $200, with the alternative of spending 100 days in jail, on a charge of maintaining a dairy in an unsanitary condition. He was arrested by W. H. Saylor, secretary of the State Dairy Bureau. He pleaded guilty this morning to the charge and was thunderstruck when he was fined $200. This is the maximum penalty.

According to the testimony of Saylor, the dairy was conducted in an extremely unsanitary manner. A month ago H. J. Faulkner, an inspector employed by the Dairy Bureau, notified Furtado to clean up his premises. He neglected to so although he had almost two months' time in which to comply with the sanitary regulations.

The milk-house, cow barn and cleansing apparatus were all in the same building and were, according to Saylor, in a filthy condition.

In passing sentence Judge Smith did not comment on the case, but imposed the maximum fine.

After stepping from the bench Judge Smith said: "In a case like this, where infants and sick persons are the victims of impure milk, I think the maximum sentence is deserved. When the cans are cleaned, milk strained and cows housed all in one building, with the natural refuse scattered about in profusion, there can be no cleanliness and the milk is sure to be impure."

The imposition of such a heavy fine will doubtless encourage other dairymen to be particular as to the condition of their dairies.

MINERS ARE IN SESSION

Demands Are to be Made Upon the Operators.

SHAMOKIN, Pa., Dec. 14.—The anthracite coal miners' convention began its session here today. About 700 delegates were present when John Mitchell, president of the United Mine Workers of America, called the convention to order.

This convention is regarded as more important than any held since John Mitchell came into the hard coal field in 1900, with the avowed purpose of duplicating the organization in Western Pennsylvania and the Western States, which held contracts with the bituminous coal operators.

The miners' leaders plan through the convention to request a conference of the operators. This will be made in the form of a resolution and the following demands, it is said, will be made, if the conference is granted, as a substitute for the strike commissions award, which will expire with the month of March:

A party agreement, better known as recognition of the union. An 8-hour work day. An increase in pay to all classes of employes of at least ten per cent and possibly 20 per cent, based on the wages in effect April 1, 1902.

This would mean that the miners would receive about the same as under the present award. For some unskilled employes it would mean a slight increase.

Should the operators be disposed to grant the miners a conference, their intention would be made known tomorrow to Mr. Mitchell.

In the event of a favorable reply coming from the operators, the convention will be in a position to make up its list of demands and grievances and to vote to the executive board or to Mr. Mitchell, and the three district presidents the power, not only to enter into negotiations, but to make terms for the miners for a short term.

SHAMOKIN, Pa., Dec. 14.—There are only 496 delegates present. It was stated before the convention met that nearly 800 delegates would attend.

After the [illegible]

WOMAN KILLED BY TRAIN

Remains at Morgue Have Not Been Identified.

An unknown woman, carrying a pet dog in her arms, was run down at Twenty-third avenue station at 7:15 o'clock last night and instantly killed by the San Jose local train.

James Blaker, proprietor of the Brooklyn Hotel, was an eyewitness to the tragedy. He states that the woman became confused at the approach of the train and seemed unable, on realizing her danger, to move. Her body was tossed clear of the rails. Death was instantaneous. The skull was fractured, and the bones of her limbs broken by the impact.

She was rather poorly dressed, and was about thirty years of age. From her appearance it is thought that she was of Italian or Portuguese extraction.

The pet dog she carried in her arms escaped injury.

The remains are now at the Morgue awaiting identification.

FORTUNE BURIED IN A FIRE

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—Fire early today destroyed the four-story brick business building at the corner of Fulton street and Bedford avenue, in Brooklyn, the property of State Senator Charles Cooper, entailing a loss of $100,000 on the building and an additional loss to tenants of about $150,000.

A most spectacular feature was presented when a tower had its supports burned away and went crashing through the three floors below, sending up a burst of sparks and glowing embers.

The tower fell into the office of the Brooklyn Trust Company, burying a safe that contained $25,000 in cash, which it is believed will not be harmed.

On the second floor of the building Senator Cooper had many valuable paintings. These suffered from the flames and today the Senator estimated his loss on them at $50,000.

Other tenants who sustained losses were the Prudential and John Hancock Life Insurance Companies, the American Harness Company and the London Harness Company.

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Of goods from railroad, furniture, carpets, etc., at 1007 Clay street, Friday, December 15, at 11 a. m.

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CREDITORS' SALE.

The extra fine stock of jewelry, cut glass, hand-painted china, fountain pens, etc., etc., of H. Tresner of Marysville, shipped to our auction rooms by order of the Board of Trade. Call and inspect goods before buying your Christmas [illegible]

MINISTER SAYS OAKLAND ISN'T A SPOTLESS TOWN, NOR IS IT SCENE OF "CARNIVAL OF CRIME"

Rev. Charles T. Walkley Delivers an Address in Which He Takes Issue With Other Pastors and Defends the Fair Name of the City.

Following is the full text of the address made yesterday afternoon before the Oakland Club by the Rev. Charles T. Walkley:

"When, several years ago, a citizen of Oakland walked into Grace House, New York, and asked me if I would accept a parish in Oakland Cal., my reply was, 'Where on earth is Oakland?' I had never heard about it. But Oakland's charms were soon spread before our imaginations and the result was the acceptance of St Paul's parish in our delectable city—a step which has brought nothing but pleasure in knowing and the joy of an enlarged labor. There are many things that impress our imagination concerning an unknown city about which the pilgrim can obtain no information

"It was impossible to gain any definite information in New York. The railroads, in their prospectuses, give glowing descriptions of the scenery and wonders to be reached by their own trains and such information is usually so well done that it requires the much-traveled globe-trotter to discount the tales and dissipate the glamor. It was difficult to get even a newspaper from San Francisco. The only papers on sale were the Sunday editions and of course Oakland news was but meagerly presented.

ANOTHER NAME?

"My first suggestion concerning Oakland is the lack of a distinctive and distinguishing name

"A man from Washington State was traveling in Europe. He addressed a letter to his home city and was surprised by the hotel clerk with these words 'Why write so many directions, there is but one Seattle in the world?

"There is an immense advantage in a distinguishing name California has many heroes whose names are unique San Francisco, Sacramento, Los Angeles and the long list of cities are known (because they have no duplicate) to be in California There are great difficulties in changing the name of a city but when Berkeley, Oakland and Alameda combine into one great city we ought to take a name that would be the only one in the world.

GOOD AND EVIL.

"Our city is delectable in many respects. Any city has great forces for good and strong powers for evil The aspects of all cities, whether centuries old or but a few score years, are similar.

DOMESTIC CITY.

"The charm of Oakland is to my mind its domesticity It is a city of delightful homes. The few apartment houses serve to emphasize this fact There is the air of repose and dignity about the homes that betoken a refinement and spirit that is very gratifying to a harried soul.

FORCES OF CITY.

"The forces of a city are many and we have roughly called them good and evil.

"The object of these forces is the home The protection, care, education and blessing and uplifting of the home is the object of every good force and power, and let it be remembered evil powers as well Chief among these forces for good are the churches The New York Sun editorially remarked December 3 that:

"'The chief social centers of a city are the churches. More people gather on Sunday morning to hear the truth of God's word than at all the unprecedented crowds at the meetings of the recent municipal campaign.'

"I am not here as an apologist but I state what to my mind is the fact for Oakland, that the greatest force for Oakland's advancement lies in the churches And you who are interested—your city and the strongest force for the delectable Oakland must help the churches

"There is no more positive influence against evil than churches. It deals not politically, not apologetically, but face to face with the powers of darkness There is not a problem that attracts public attention but that the churches have battled and struggled with long before it became a public issue Religion is the mightiest force in civilization and has lost none of its power in Oakland. I must needs suggest two recent explosions which require a public denial.

"TWO CLERGYMEN OF OUR CITY ATTACKED OUR INTEGRITY WITH WORDS THAT ARE DELIBERATE AND EVIDENTLY CAREFULLY WEIGHED. IT IS NOT MY PURPOSE TO TAKE THEIR STATEMENT IN DETAIL BUT TO SAY THEIR POINT OF VIEW, NO MATTER HOW PIOUSLY, IS NOT ADVISEDLY TAKEN.

"ALL OF THE CRIMES THAT CLAIM THESE REVEREND GENTLEMEN'S ATTENTION WERE COMMITTED OUTSIDE OF OAKLAND. ONE EXCEPTION IS MADE OF A REPORTED CASE IN OAKLAND WHICH HAS DEMNATION OF OUR CITY'S GOVERNMENT AND CITIZENSHIP?

"GRANTING THE FACTS TO BE TRUE, ARE THESE GENTLEMEN JUSTIFIED IN USING THEIR PULPITS FOR SUCH A WHOLESALE CONDEMNATION OF OUR CITY AND CITIZENSHIP?

"In the recent campaign in San Francisco the political utterances of some clergymen confirmed many voters in their adherence to the successful candidate The forces for good in a city are not advanced by such utterances as they are open to the charge of yellow preaching

PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

"Next to these fraternal organizations are our public schools Some, no doubt, would place the newspaper in advance, but these forces that are instructive without the modern newspaper are to my mind much more effective as forces for goold.

"A delectable city should be full of happy children, and surely Oakland has a host of these joyous lives The remarkable fact of our death rate of one in a thousand does not bring out the real fact of the exceedingly low death rate among children

"I WAS SO STRUCK WITH THIS FACT THAT I MADE INQUIRIES AND FOUND THAT THE DEATH RATE AMONG CHILDREN IN OAKLAND IS ABNORMALLY LOW—TWO CHILDREN'S FUNERALS IN TWO YEARS.

properly policed and evil, that subtle and cunning enemy of society, eludes the best of police and detectives

THE POLICE.

The corrective force most abused, criticised and last to be priased, the police, is a strong corrective force The mere fact that authority walks the streets is a strong factor for correcting evil. There is no city wholly protected The Garden of Eden was not

"IT IS FOLLY TO ACCUSE THE POLICE OF OAKLAND FOR A MURDER IN FRUITVALE, WHERE NO POLICE PROTECTION IS PROVIDED. IT IS EQUALLY FALLACIOUS TO MAKE AN OUTCRY AGAINST OAKLAND FOR A CRIME COMMITTED IN BERKELEY.

"THE VERY CIRCUMSTANCES OF THE CASE AND THE MISERABLE WRETCH WHO COMMITTED IT ARGUE NOT AGAINST THE POLICE FORCE, BUT THE LOWEST DEPTH OF HUMAN PASSION

"IF THAT MAN HAD BEEN A NEGRO IN THE SOUTH HE WOULD HAVE LOST HIS LIFE WITHIN TWENTY-FOUR HOURS. BUT THE MISERABLE WRETCH WILL GET HIS JUST DUES IN OUR PENITENTIARY.

"The official corrective and preventive forces of a city are many and extend from the State laws to the ordinances of the City Council, from the Justices of the Peace to the Supreme Court, from the citizen who has police powers to the State and Federal authorities.

"THIS IS NOT A WHITEWASHING NOR A DISPLAY OF COMPLIMENTARY FIREWORKS. IT IS MY HONEST CONVICTION THAT MANY WHO ARE SO READY TO CONDEMN ARE NOT ACQUAINTED WITH THE FORCES THAT ARE TO BE OVERCOME.

"THINK OF THE FRAILTIES OF HUMAN NATURE, THE DEPTHS OF DEGREDATION, THE ORGANIZED FORCES OF EVIL WHICH ARE STRIKING AT EVERY HOME IN OAKLAND AND YOU WILL HAVE JUST AN INKLING OF WHAT AN ADMINISTRATION HAS TO COMBAT.

"THE DELECTABLE CITY IS NOT YET THE SPOTLESS TOWN AND OAKLAND, WITH HER BEAUTIFUL STREETS, HER OPPORTUNITIES FOR A WIDE DEVELOPMENT, HER PARKS AND HER SCHOOLS, IS IN NOWISE BEHIND HER MORE BLATANAT RIVALS.

"In the list of corrective forces stands prominently the Juvenile Court It is of such tremendous importance that only the strongest of adjectives may be applied to it To the initiative and persistency of this club is due the establishment of such a corrective Our crimes against children—boys and girls who in innocence or from cause under the law—have filled our penitentiaries with prisoners and sent many girls to brothels

WOMEN'S CLUBS.

"It is rather late—the day for either President Cleveland or Professor Howlson to rail at women's clubs. Certainly the one example of this Oakland Club maintaining the probation officer to the Juvenile Court ought to clear the air of all idle comment. Society and civilization, after years—yes, centureis and centuries— of life has failed to solve three problems—poverty, crime and prostitution. We cannot expect our city administration to solve it immediately.

"The delectable city, however, our Oakland, must gather her constructive and corrective forces together and labor for a city not merely of wealth, nor good society, nor immensity of interests, but of character

"Here are the beauties of nature—flowers, wondruos hills, the beautiful bay, religion, fraternity, education and civic forces and not the least our women's clubs—there combine to make Oakland the Delectable City."

STOCK MARKET.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 14.—Following is the stock report up to noon today.

TONOPAH.

500	Adams	05
600	Blue Bell—*	04
1000	Blue Bull	07
500	Bullfrog Nat. Bank	16
2000	do—*	16
3000	do	15
3000	do (B 90)	16
1000	Bunker Hill Mg Co —*	1 30
600	Diamfld. Butte Con	34
700	Jumbo—*	98
100	Jumbo Extension (S 10)	20
100	do	20
5500	Kendall—*	35
500	do (S 5)	35
500	do	34
1500	Mac Namara	37
1000	May Queen	17
2000	Mohawk—*	25
1000	do (B 90)	20
200	North Star—*	46
1000	do	47
1000	Ohio Tonopah	25
1000	Original Bullfrog—*	19
500	Red Top	95
400	do	94
1000	Rescue—*	08
1000	Sandstorm—*	57
3000	St Ives	12
2000	do (B 90)	13
500	do—*	12
500	do	13
2400	Tonopah Belmont	2 00
1200	do—*	2 02½
1000	do	2 05
1200	do	2 07½
1400	West End	1 20

COMSTOCK FORMAL.

400	Belcher	19
100	Best & Belcher	1 40
200	Bullion	26
100	Chollar	19
100	Challenge Con	20
200	Con Virginia M Co	1 23
300	Gould & Curry	11
200	Hale & Norcross	1 15
200	Mexican	1 35
150	Ophir	5 87½
300	Overman	13
200	Potosi	09
100	Sierra Nevada	37
200	Union Con	57
100	do	58
1000	Utah	05
200	Yellow Jacket	13

COMSTOCK INFORMAL.

100	Belcher	20
200	do	21
300	Con Virginia M Co	1 35
100	do	1 40
100	Confidence	86
100	Crown Point	15
900	do	14
100	Gould & Curry	14
200	Hale & Norcross	1 15
100	Mexican	1 35
100	Ophir	5 87½
100	Overman	13
100	do	14
100	Potosi	09
100	Savage	53
600	Sierra Nevada	30
100	Union Con	58
100	do	57
300	Yellow Jacket	13

STOCK AND BOND EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS.

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10 30 a. m. session December 14, 1905.

MISCELLANEOUS BONDS

	Bid.	Asked.
Cal Cen Gas & Elec. Co 5%	98⅜	99
Cal Gas & Electric Gen M. and C T, 5%	106	—
Los Angeles Gas and Electric Co, 5%	118½	119
Los Angeles Railway, 5%	105¾	106½
Northern Ry. of Cal, 6%	119½	120½
Northern California Ry., 5%	99	—
Oceanic S S Co, 5%	61	—
Omnibus Cable Railway, 6%	112¼	112½
Sac. Electric, Gas & Ry. 5s	119¼	119¾
S. F & S J. Valley 5%	114	115½
Sierra Railway of Cal, 6%	108¼	—
S P R R of Ariz, 1909 6%	109½	—
S P R R of Cal, 6% (1906)	113½	—
Spring Valley Water, 6%	100	—
S V. Water, 2d Mtge, 4%	99¾	100¼
S V W Co., Gen. Mtge, 4%	88	—
United R. R. of S F, 4%	104½	—

WATER STOCKS

	Bid	Asked
Contra Costa	40	—

GAS AND ELECTRIC STOCKS.

	Bid	Asked
Mutual Electric Light Co.	16¾	17¼
S F Gas and Electric Co	85	—
S F. Gas & Elec. Co, Certif	86¾	87

BANK STOCKS.

	Bid	Asked
Bank of California	422½	—

SUGAR STOCKS.

	Bid	Asked
Hawaiian Com. & Sugar Co.	83	84
Honokaa Sugar Co	13	13¼
Makaweli Sugar Co	32½	32¾
Onomea Sugar Co	30¾	31¼
Paauhau S. Plantation Co	23	23½

MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Alaska Packers' Association	—	58
Cal Fruit Canners' Assn	97½	98
Cal Wine Association	—	82½
Oceanic Steamship Co	—	5
Pacific States Tel & Tel. Co	105	105½
Associated Oil	55⅝	—

SALES.

200	Mutual Electric	16¾
5000	Spring Valley General	97¼
10000	United Railroads	88
1000	Southern Pacific (1912)	113⅜
30	Water	40⅛
10	Water	40⅛
50	Mutual	16¾
5	Gas	85
50	Makaweli	32¾
10	Gas	86⅞

FAVORABLE REPORT.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 14.—The Senate committee on commerce today agreed to report favorably the bill favorably recommended by the Merchant Marine Commission for the promotion of American commerce, familiarly known as the "ship-subsidy bill."

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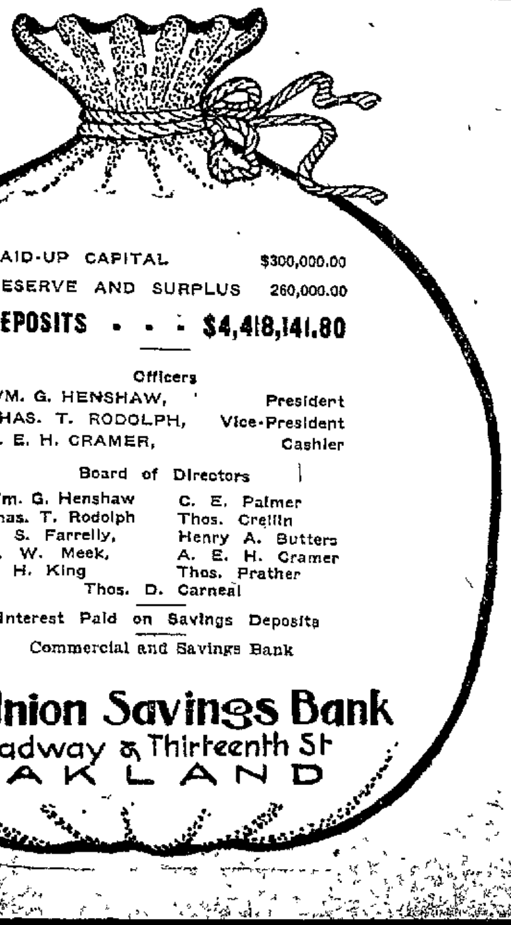

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RESERVE AND SURPLUS 260,000.00
DEPOSITS - - - $4,418,141.80

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HAS NO FAITH IN CANAL

WASHINGTON, Dec 14.—Mr. Teller, in the course of his speech, indicated a preference for a sea level canal. He also defended Engineer Wallace and Mr. Hopkins said that it was not true that Wallace left the canal because he wanted more salary, but because he could not build the caanl in accordance with the spirit of the law.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 14.—In the Senate today Mr. Aldrich reported from the committee on finance a substitute for the Teller Panama canal bond bill In presenting the report he said that the bill has the effect of giving the 2 per cent canal bonds the same privileges and rights accorded to other 2 per cent bonds, and asked for its immediate consideration.

Mr. Pettus at first objected to present consideration, but a few minutes later withdrew his objection and the bill passed without debate.

Mr. Elkins asked and obtained the consent of the Senate to make a verbal report from the committee on interstate commerce concerning the progress of the committee's investigation of the railroad rate question.

He said that the committee had found it impossible to report a bill ten days after the convening of Congress, as directed by the resolution ordering the inquiry.

He added that the committee had been in session from April to June, and again since November 21st last, and was giving all the time possible to the question.

The emergency canal appropriation bill was then taken up. After the amendment made by the committee on appropriations to the House bill had been agreed to, Mr. Teller discussed canal matters in general. He did not believe that the canal would be the success its friends expected.

ADMIRAL CHESTER MAKES A REPORT

WASHINGTON, Dec. 14.—Rear-Admiral C. M. Chester, commander-in-chief of the special service squadron, before leaving Lisbon for the Azores, prepared a preliminary report of the visits he has made to European observatories during his cruise, which has just been received at the navy department.

Upon completing the observations of the solar eclipse on August 30 last, in Spain, Admiral Chester, with his squadron, sailed from there to Genoa, Italy. In order to secure the best technical results for the record of the naval observatory, as well as to make a study of comparative methods of observations, Professor of Mathematics F. B. Little, U. S. N., was assigned as aide to Admiral Chester, and Professor of Mathematics W. S. Eychelberger, U. S. N., also accompanied him.

With Admiral Chester they visited all the observatories. Among the observatories visited were the observatory at Frankfort, Germany; the Grand Ducal Observatory at Heidelberg, the University Observatory at Munich and those at Vienna. Because of delay in procuring a permit to visit German observatories, the inspection made of these establishments was entirely unofficial. The party also inspected the equipment of the Royal Observatory at Brussels, the observatory at Leyden, Holland; the Greenwich Observatory and the observatories at Paris, Nice, Rome, Naples, Genoa and Florence.

Admiral Chester says that among the most interesting things seen in Europe were the relics of Galileo, in the Galileo Museum at Florence.

The Minneapolis sailed from Ponta del Gado for Hampton Roads today. Upon her arrival she will be placed out of commission.

SUES FOR DIVORCE.

Suit for divorce was begun this morning by John Burns against Georgia Burns of Alameda on the ground of desertion. He is an employe of the pottery works in that city and alleges that in 1899 his wife left him and has refused to return to him. They were married in 1892 at Sonoma. He believes it is useless longer to maintain the relation of husband to a woman who will not live with him, which he states is for no cause for which he is to blame.

SENT TO PRISON.

Joseph Sors, a youth who has been in trouble frequently with the police, was this morning sent to jail for 30 days by Police Judge Samuels on a charge of stealing fruit from the Southern Pacific Co. from cars in West Oakland. There were three other boys implicated in the theft. Young Sors has been put on probation a half dozen times by the judges of the Police Court, but the leniency shown him seemed to be misplaced and this morning he was sent to prison as a corrective measure.

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These goods just arrived, having been made to order for us and IMPORTED DIRECT FROM EUROPE for our account. They comprise—Cups and Saucers—Plates—Jugs—Vases—Jewel Boxes—Salve Jars and many other novel pieces—and we have the Cliff House of San Francisco and Lake Merritt of Oakland painted on them; making handsome souvenir pieces and very pretty Christmas Gifts. The prices are exceedingly low, taking in consideration the quality of the goods.

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TO FORCE THE RIGHT-OF-WAY

HENRY A. BUTTERS TALKS ABOUT HIS NORTHERN RAILWAY PLANS.

MARYSVILLE, Dec. 14.—Henry A. Butters, of the Northern Electric Company was in town recently and stated that he has purchased the Marysville and Yuba City mule car line. It was stated some time ago that Mr. Butters had secured an option on the road.

He said that it will form a part of his company's system of electric railways, and will be made broad-gauge in due time.

Mr. Butters was unable to state when actual construction work on the proposed roads to connect Marysville with Meridian, Colusa, Chico, Oroville and other towns will commence. He said the matter of rights of way in Sutter county is blocking progress. Condemnation suits have been filed to force a right of way, and the success of this mode of operation remains to be seen. If the damages are fixed too high it is quite probable Sutter county will have no electric railways, where now there is promised very excellent service.

One land owner, James Gray, states that he does not want the road to cross his land because it will increase its value and, as he does not want to sell it, he will have heavier taxes to pay. Gray has a large grain farm.

Mr. Butters says he has an option on the rights acquired by Captain Forseman for electric railroads in Colusa county. The proposed road from Marysville to Meridian, across Sutter county, would connect with the road for which franchises were secured in Colusa county.

Today workmen were laying new ties on the street car line at the point where it crosses the K-street levee. The ties are for a broad-gauge road, and it is expected that broad-gauge rails will be laid prior to the time the Western Pacific builds its tracks on the levee so that the crossing will be broad-gauge.

POLICY IS DENOUNCED

Strong Action is Being Taken Against Premier Witte.

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 13 (Wednesday morning), via Edytkuhnen, East Prussia, Dec. 14.—The government is making little headway in crushing the telegraph strike. The wires of the few lines over which service has been temporarily resumed are constantly cut and not a single wire is working out of St. Petersburg this morning. At the present rate weeks will elapse before the service caan be really restored.

Inhabitants of the Baltic provinces who are now residing in St. Petersburg were immensely gratified at the publication yesterday of the imperial ukase promising local self-government, which, they say, means the abandonment of the Russification policy, begun in 1867, to destroy the unity of the old provinces of Lithuania.

The ukase practically insures the restoration of the status quo ante creating a deliberative assembly for the solution of the burning questions of reform of the peasant conditions, the institution of local self-government and schools, and a governor-general as the office existed before 1876.

The papers generally regard the uakse as opening the door to decentralization and as the end of the policy under which the bureaucracy absorbed all the power and stifled the ambitions of the border people.

DENOUNCES WITTE'S POLICY.

The cries for a strong policy to end tho tyranny of the revolutionary organs are openly taken up by such men as Charles von Schwaebach, a former Minister of Agriculture. In an interview he denounced Premier Witte's policy as fatal, declares that the strike law will be as useless as the press law, and says that the only sane method is to answer by force threats of the organizations which are calling on the people to make armed resistance.

Such interviews increase the feeling that Premier Witte's position is almost lose and rumors of the Emperor's intention to establish a dictatorship exist. On the other hand, it is insisted that the premier still enjoys the confidence of the Emperor, despite the Camarilla, which is fighting him. The Cabinet has decided to prosecute in court all violations of the new press law.

The first prosecution will be that of the editor of the Nasha Shisn for printing the resolution of the post and telegraph employes of St. Petersburg on December 12.

The new committee of the postal telegraph union has decided to continue the strike until the strikers' demands are completely satisfied.

The Official Messenger today announced that the new electoral law, which has been drafted, will immediately be laid before the Emperor.

M. Tatischeff, formerly Russian financial agent in London, has been appointed chief editor of the Official Messenger.

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HONOR FOR HIM.

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—A life-size bust of General Samuel C. Armstrong, executed in bronze by Mrs. Cadwalader-Guild for the Hampton Institute of Virginia, was placed on exhibition at the Bryant Park studios yesterday.

After the Civil War General Armstrong saw the necessity of a non-sectarian institution to educate negro teachers to go among the emancipated slaves and he laid the foundations of the Hampton Normal and Agricultural Institute.

Friends of General Armstrong say that the sculptor has typified in her work the expression of the spirit of high resolve which enabled General Armstrong to bring the institution to its present status.

MIDWINTER CONCERT.

On Sunday afternoon, December 17, at 2:30 o'clock, the pupils of the blind department of the Institution for the Deaf and the Blind at Berkeley, will give their midwinter concert in the chapel of the school in Berkeley. All friends of the institution and of the pupils are invited to attend.

AUTHOR IS DEAD.

LONDON, Dec. 14.—The death is announced from Sicily of William Sharp, the author. Concurrently with the announcement, Sharp's friend, Richard Whiteing, reveals the interesting fact that Sharp was the author of the works publishing under the pseudonym of Miss Fiona MacLeod.

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INSANE WARDS ARE NEEDED

STATE REPORTS ON TREATMENT OF PATIENT SENT FROM OAKLAND.

A State official report was yesterday filed with the Mayor and the Board of Supervisors that interests the police force of this city, and its citizens generally, as well.

The report, however, contains the following information:

On the 24th of last June, Claus Widdell, of 570 Seventeenth street, East Oakland, was arrested by the local police for drunkenness, and taken to the city prison, and kept there three days. At the end of this time he was charged with insanity, as it became evident to the city prison officials that something more serious than mere alcoholism was the trouble with him. He was then taken to the Receiving Hospital, and in due time committed to the insane asylum at Stockton.

Widdell was a married man, with a wife and four children, and after a little while his wife, encouraged by the charges of certain local journals, to the effect that her husband had been practically railroaded to the insane asylum, asked for an investigation of his case by the Board of Prison Charities and Corrections, or rather asked that the Governor of the State direct such an investigation.

As a result of this the board mentioned took up the case, and after an exhaustive investigation, in which twelve witnesses were examined, and the ground thoroughly covered at all points, this board reported that it could find no evidence that the man had in any way been officially maltreated.

It appeared in the evidence that Widdell had been very violent while in the city prison. He had torn everything from its fastenings that was movable in his cell; he had resisted, to the extent of his powers, every attempt to give him soothing and alleviating medicines, and on his way to the Receiving Hospital had made a mighty, though unsuccessful, effort to escape from the officers who had him in custody.

His story that he had been beaten with canes by fellow prisoners while in the city jail, was discredited by unquestionable proof, and all the stories of his having been abused while in the custody of city or county officers, were one by one explained as the real facts were developed.

The lesson of the case seems to be that the city should either provide a special insane ward, with all the necessary equipment, including a competent examining physician, who can determine whether a man is insane or simply drunk; or it should make arrangements under which all persons showing indications of insanity should be at once taken to the Receiving Hospital, where they can be properly cared for if they reside in Oakland, as well as if the reside in Berkeley, Fruitvale or any outside district.

The report is in the following language:

"On September 5th last there appeared in the daily papers a report that one Claus Widdell, being detained at the city jail as a suspected insane man, had been beaten and cruelly treated, supposedly while an inmate of the city jail of Oakland.

This board, as is its duty, made a careful inuiry into the facts in the case. Evidence has been taken of the physicians and other attendants of the Stockton State Hospital, of every police officer in Oakland who had anything to do with the man from the time he was picked up by the patrolman until he arrived at the hospital, in all twelve witnesses.

This evidence shows that said Claus Widdell arrived at the Stockton State Hospital on June 29th in a badly bruised condition; that he was picked up by a patrolman about 4 o'clock June 24th and taken to the city jail in Oakland and kept there until Tuesday afternoon, June 27th, when he was removed to the Receiving Hospital, where he remained until removed to the State hospital; that while in the city jail he was violent and frequent scuffles were had with him by the jailer and prisoners, especially to administer medicines prescribed by the city physician; that in transferring him to the detention hospital he attempted to get away from the officers and another struggle with him was necessary to hold him; that said Widdell was so held in the city jail because he was suspected of being insane and that about two weeks previous he had been arrested and held in the same jail for a time for the same reason, but released; that said Widdell was returned home from said State hospital on November 14th.

This board was unable to ascertain where the patient received his injuries. No one having the handling of said patient seemed to know that he had been injured until after his arrival at Stockton State Hospital. Such injuries may have been received in the struggles necessary to restrain the patient or may have been received previous to his arrest.

We believe that no person suspected of insanity should be detained in a city jail. There are no facilities there for the care of such persons and the very act of confining them with prisoners may increase the trouble. The county has a detention hospital and such cases should at once be sent to it. We are informed that the detention hospital refuses to receive cases until some one has made the affidavit of insanity. We believe this is wrong; that the patient should receive the benefit of the doubt and that whenever insanity is suspected the patient should go at once to the Receiving Hospital, there to await the development of the case. Such is also the plain intent of the law (see Sec. 2167, olitical Code). If this practice had prevailed in this case the injuries received by this patient probably would not have occurred.

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STOCKHOLM, Dec. 14.—The Swedish steamer Drottnig Sophia returned here today from Riga with Swedish fugitives. She arrived at Riga December 8. Her commander reports that during the vessel's stay in port there were no disturbances at Riga, but absolute anarchy prevailed in the country districts.

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Hand Bags for ladies and children, all colors and a good assortment of designs, 25c, 48c, 59c, 98c, $1.50, $2, $3.00, $4.00 and $5 ea

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Children's All-Wool Hose, fast black, double sole and knee, 40c kind. Special 25c

Ladies' heavy fleece lined Union Suits; gray or white Oneita style, 65c value. Special 48c

Boys' part wool Shirts and Drawers, natural gray; all sizes, 75c kind. Special 48c

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Fancy H. S. lace and embroidery effects. Special values at 25c, 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.50, $2.00, $2.50, $3.00, and $4.00 each.

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Hand-painted Plaques, big assortment of designs. Special prices, each 25c

Picture Frames—The new French gilt, one that will not tarnish; newest designs. Prices each..........25c, 50c, 75c $1.00

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Read these Prices—Save Money Easily

I. X. L. Concentrated SOUP, make one quart, 10c value	5c.
Mother's MUSH, the best flakes, 10c value	5c.
Pie BLACKBERRIES, regular 25c gallon can	12½c.
ASPARAGUS, Griffin's Extra, 35c value	18c.
APRICOTS, extra heavy syrup, regular 15c	7½c.
EGG NOODLES, 10c value	5c.
Pure Extract LEMON and VANILLA, 25c	12½c.
20c value	5c.
Mother's STARCH, full lb. package, 10c value	5c.
Swift's Washing POWDER, 20c three lb. pckg	10c

Grandma's Washing POWDER, large package; 25c value	12½c.
LOGAN BERRIES, 20c value	9c.
A good BROOM, 35c value	19c.
JELL-O Ice Cream Powder, 15c value	7c.
Fine Dry Table SALT—pound	1c.
10 lb. sack, reg. 20c, 10c. 4 lb. sack, reg. 10c	4c.
Odd brands MEALS, 10 pound sack	25c.
Black CHERRIES, 15c value	7½c.

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A watch and chain for the boy for $1.08; the watch is warranted for one year.

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11x4 White Wool Blankets full double bed size a little cotton mixed with the wool; value $5.50. Special ....$4.50.

Extra size, fine California White Wool Blankets; soft warm and durable; value [illegible]. Special [illegible]

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UNION MEN TO HAVE CYM.

PLANS FOR THE PROJECT HAVE BEEN SATISFACTORILY COMPLETED.

Seldom has any project in unionized labor circles gone forward more rapidly or satisfactorily than the project for a gymnasium club, with a good variety of facilities, at Central labor headquarters, at 463 Eighth street. Professor Paul Uth, instructor in physical culture in the public schools of Oakland, has kindly consented to assist in arranging the facilities and, at present rate of progress, the room and its gymnastic furnishings will be ready for use by Christmas. Payment on subscriptions is being freely made and work on remodelling the interior began today.

ARRANGEMENTS COMMITTEE.

The arrangements committee for the coming meeting of the State Federation of Labor at Oakland, by the addition of delegates direct from local unions to those originally chosen by the Central Labor and Building Trades councils, now has over 100 members, and is one of the finest working bodies of men gathered together in Oakland lately. Preparations under their management are moving along nicely.

NO. 36, CARPENTERS.

Local No. 36, United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners, has elected Frank Ingerson, president; Guy Raymond, vice-president; A. Wilson, recording secretary; C. Mackie, financial secretary; J. J. Overton, treasurer; M. Reynolds, conductor; W. Atkinson, treasurer; W. Hiendshaw, to board of auditors; A. Campbell, warden; M. Reynolds, G. Raymond, E. Thompson, C. E. Maker, William Atkinson, Roy Shay, E. A. Herbst, delegates to the district council, and E. Thompson, William Bibby, J. J. Overton, G. Raymond, Roy Shay, A. Wilson and William Atkinson, delegates to Building Trades Council.

THE BARBERS.

Local No. 134 will have a special called meeting at California Hall next Monday evening for election of officers.

G. K. Smith and C. F. Burkhardt have been elected delegates to the convention of the California State Federation of Labor, to meet at Oakland, January 1, 1906.

INTERESTED IN NEW RAILROAD

A certified copy of the articles of incorporation of the Clear Lake and Southern Railroad Company was filed at San Rafael, a number of Alameda county men being interested. Joseph P. Lucey, W. E. Cashman and William T. Love of San Francisco, Guy C. Caldwell of Oakland and Kent J. C. Seymour of Mill Valley are the incorporators. The capital stock of the company is $350,000, divided into 3500 shares of the par value of $100 each. Of this stock 1416 shares are held by Caldwell, the others holding one share each.

They propose to construct and operate a ferry system between San Francisco and some point in Marin county, on San Francisco and San Pablo bays, connecting with a railroad running through Marin, Sonoma, Napa, and Marin counties to a point near Lakeport, an estimated distance of 130 miles. There will be two branches running through the main line—one from a point near San Quentin to San Rafael, an estimated distance of five miles, and the others from a point near Reclamation, in Sonoma county, to Petaluma, a distance of seven miles, making an estimated total mileage of 142 miles.

CHURCH OF ADVENT TO HOLD BAZAAR

The bazaar to be held Friday and Saturday, December 15 and 16, in the Sunday school room of the Church of the Advent, East Oakland, promises to be a very successful event. The booths will be decorated and arranged in a very attractive manner, the ice cream and refreshment booth to be in colonial and Japanese effects, with poinsettia decoration.

Those in charge of the sale are Mrs. George Babcock, Mrs. W. S. Goodfellow, Mrs. F. D. Ellis, Mrs. Charles McDonald, Mrs. F. H. Parker, Mrs. Alfred Barker, Mrs. Howard Bray, Mrs. Duncan, Miss Stalder, Mrs. Callison, Mrs. R. F. Stewart.

There will be a musical and literary program, in which the following ladies and gentlemen will take part: Miss Violet Albright, Miss Barlow, Dr. Crawford, Miss Helen Price and the Misses Lewis.

A blunt man usually has a sharp tongue.

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LOCAL LODGES PREPARING FOR THE HOLIDAYS

The Xmas Season Brings Its Pleasures and Its Elections.

ARGONAUT TENT, K. O. T. M.

Argonaut Tent, No. 33, K. O. T. M., met in regular session last Tuesday evening at Maccabee Temple, a good representation of members being present. The tent is increasing its numerical strength very rapidly. Several propositions for membership were presented and the degree team conferred the work in amplified form on a class of candidates in a most fraternal and genial manner. The sick members were reported convalescing. Next Tuesday evening important business will come up for discussion and all members are especially requested to be present. Sojourning members are always welcome.

BROOKLYN LODGE, F. & A. M.

Brooklyn Lodge, No. 225, F. & A. M., at East Oakland, will install its officers elected and appointed for the ensuing Masonic year Tuesday evening, December 19.

GOLDEN RULE ENCAMPMENT, NO. 34.

Golden Rule Encampment, No. 34, I. O. O. F., has elected its officers for the coming term, and the new officers are preparing to accept the responsibilities which will be theirs after the first of January.

On Friday, December 15, the Patriarchal degree will be conferred on five candidates who have decided to delve further into the mysteries of Odd Fellowship as exemplified by the encampment degrees. A warm welcome will be extended to all sojourning Patriarchs.

CALANTHE TEMPLE, R. S.

Friday evening, December 8, the members of Calanthe Temple went with the District Deputy Grand Chief to Point Richmond to assist her in instituting a new Temple of Rathbone Sisters. Fifty members took the town by storm, and held a high-hand until 11:40, when they retired, voting everything a success. The following other temples were well represented: East Oakland and Loyal, of Oakland; San Francisco, Golden Gate and Eschscholtzia, of San Francisco, and Damon, of Stockton.

Where so many Rathbone Sisters assemble together it is needless to say "they had an enjoyable time. The degree staff did themselves proud. One thing that added to the pleasure of the evening was the presence of one of our dearly beloved Sisters, Mrs. Fletcher (nee Bruce), now of Livermore. The D. D. G. C., Cora Langridge, a member of Calanthe Temple, conducted the work of instituting the new temple in a very fine manner, which was a credit to Calanthe Temple, as well as herself.

The new temple started out with a large charter list; best of all was the loyal manner in which the Knights of Pythias enrolled their names on the list. The Knights of Point Richmond are a loyal lot of men—the writer can vouch for that, as she has an ever-present reminder of the fact whenever she looks up at a picture of forty-five of these loyal Knights, which hangs over the clock in her sitting-room. The name of this new temple is Unity, No. 86. May there always be perfect unity of thought and purpose among its members.

On Friday evening, December 15, the monthly dime social dance of Calanthe Temple will take place, and in conjunction with this, the ladies of the Sewing Bee will have a few things to sell for Christmas presents for your friends.

HOPE LODGE, I. O. G. T.

Last Friday evening a number of members from No. 162 and No. 7, went to San Leandro to attend a lecture by Captain W. C. Dutton, the grand lodge lecturer. After the lecture, names for a Good Templar lodge were called for, and several responded. The following were elected officers: William J. Reid, chief templar; Mrs. Charles Silva, vice templar; A. J. Smith, recording secretary; F. Scott, financial secretary; E. A. Pierson, treasurer, J. G. Silva, marshal; Rev. A. J. Hanson, chaplain; Mrs. J. Herger, guard; C. D. Reid, past chief templar and lodge deputy.

The lodge was named Hope, and time of meeting Friday.

Tomorrow evning the officers will be installed. Captain Dutton and the District Chief Templar will be present. The meeting wil be at the Methodist Church.

LYON RELIEF CORPS NO. 6.

The annual election of officers for Lyon Corps No. 6, took place on Tuesday afternoon, December 5. Those who will fill the chairs for the ensuing year are: President, Eliza Sheppard; senior vice president, Mathilda Gehring; junior vice president, Maria Mette, treasurer, Louise J. Holmes; chaplain, Almyra B. Merritt; conductor, Eliza Kennedy; guard, Mary Hood.

Delegates to Department Convention, Mathilda Gehring, Cerina Hunt, Ruth Campbell and Mrs. Alberger. Alternates: Eliza Kennedy, Margaret Kleso and Catharine Webber.

In the evening of the same date a large delegation of ladies visited Lyon Post, No. 8, G. A. R. A committee consisting of Comrades Walker and Goldsby received and acepted them, when Mrs. Frank Billington, president of Lyon Corps, in a few well chosen words, presented Commander Alberger (for Lyon Post), a beautiful silk flag. Col. Alberger accepted in behalf of the Post, and paid a glowing tribute to their auxiliary.

The ladies had prepared coffee and cake, and all passed a very pleasant half hour. Amid three rousing cheers from the comrades, the ladies departed.

DAUGHTERS OF ST. GEORGE.

The members of Golden Gate Lodge, Daughters of St. George, held their thirteenth year installation of officers last Tuesday evening. The ceremony was performed by the W. G. P. D. D., Sister Annie Rogers of Golden Gate Lodge, assisted by Sister Annie Chubb, as grand conductor. The officers installed were: Worthy past president, Mrs. Lester; worthy president, Mrs. Bendel; worthy vice president, Mrs. Pachold; worthy financial secretary, Mrs. Carney; worthy recording secretary, Mrs. Schafter; worthy treasurer, Mrs. Brady; worthy chaplain, Mrs. Robinson; W. F. conductor, Mrs. Mary Wright; W. S. Conductor, Miss E. Hambleton; W. I. G. Mrs. Champion; W. O. G., Mrs. Arbell; trustees, Mrs. S. Wright and Mrs. Fake.

Sister Annie Rogers on behalf of the members presented Sister Chubb with a gold lodge pin as a mark of appreciation of her services for thirteen years. Sister E. Chubb responded briefly, thanking the sister, and stating what service she had given to the sisters in the past she would extend in the future. A vote of thanks was given to Sisters Lester, Fake and Brady for their untiring efforts in making a success of the annual bazaar. Refreshments were served and everybody spent a pleasant evening.

UNCAS TRIBE NO. 137.

The regular meeting of Uncas Tribe scheduled for the 15th of this month will prove especially attractive. The tribe's degree team will confer the Adoption Degree upon eight, and probably more, of its own candidates, and upon as many more from Ah-Wah-Nee Tribe. As the degree team will exemplify the work as recently changed by the Great Council the rendering will be well worth seeing. As a large delegation will accompany the candidates from Ah-Wah-Nee Tribe it is expected that the wigwam will be taxed to its utmost. Visiting Red Men, however, are cordially invited, as there will be places provided for all. All members of Uncas Tribe are earnestly urged to attend.

At the last meeting of the tribe an application for membership by deposit card was received from Bro. W. D. Boyden, formerly a tribesman in San Antonio, Texas. Bro. Boyden comes highly recommended and we welcome him heartily. May he be as well pleased with us as we are with him.

During the last two moons several members from other reservations have been attracted to the tribe through the notices printed by the papers. Palefaces have also deposited applications for membership, attracted through the same source, and the tribe would acknowledge its indebtedness to the papers for the space so kindly accorded us.

The chairman of the committee which had the last tournament in charge rendered a partial report at this meeting. With many tickets to hear from Bro. Schafer reports the tournament a larger financial success than any other affair given by the tribe. The tribesmen tendered Bro. Schafer a testimonial of their esteem by unanimously electing him to the junior sagamore's stump. The corps of officers for the ensuing term is an exceptionally strong one—Bros. Palfreeman, Pulsifer, Schafer and McKeon.

PACIFIC LODGE NO. 7.

Pacific Lodge No. 7 meets this evening in Fraternal Hall, 1156 Washington street, when the two degrees will be conferred on several candidates.

On Thursday evening, December 28, Pacific degree team will confer the oriental degree of humility in Fraternal Hall, 1156 Washington street.

GOLDEN GATE CAMP, M. W. A.

Golden Gate Camp No. 7236, Modern Woodmen of America, will give a dance this evening for the benefit of Neighbor O. C. Andrews, who has been confined to his bed for some time on account of an accident which resulted in a broken thigh and other injuries which has left him in very bad financial circumstances. The neighbors of Golden Gate Camp wish to make this dance a success, as every dollar received will go toward the fund being created for Neighbor Andrews' benefit. All Woodmen are requested to come out tonight and help swell the fund. This is a worthy cause, neighbors; let us count you among the cheerful givers.

At the regular meeting last Thursday night this camp elected its officers for the ensuing term, the following being the result: Consul, E. R. Bartholomew; adviser, K. Z. Richardson, clerk, James H. Hulbert, banker, George Hoffman; escort, C. J. Cahill; watchman, W. O. Miller. The rest of the officers will be elected on the night of December 21.

A large number of members were present, there being 150 neighbors accounted for.

One new member was adopted and several new applications were received. At the next meeting there will be about six new members adopted. All visiting M. W. A. are cordially invited to visit this camp.

THE AMERICANS.

Oakland Assembly No. 2 elected officers for the ensuing term last Friday evening at Ben Hur Temple, 1060 Broadway. After the business session ended refreshments were served in the banquet room.

Old Hickory No. 22 meets every Wednesday evening at Pythian Hall. Last week one candidate was initiated and officers for the ensuing term elected.

Lincoln No. 7 is growing rapidly in membership and interesting meetings are held every Thursday evening at Lincoln Hall, South Berkeley.

Jefferson Assembly No. 21 at Point Richmond is booming. Brother O'Reilly, senate representative, has done splendid work, having initiated fifty new members during the past thirty days. Brother Blakemore, special representative for the order, is holding his own with the older representatives, and all indications point to him being one of the leading organizers in a short time.

Director-General Lewis is absent this week on a visit to the assemblies in Sacramento and San Joaquin counties.

Reports from Los Angeles and other southern counties are of the most encouraging nature and the assemblies are all in a prosperous condition, with indications of many new ones being organized in the near future.

VETERAN LODGE, I. O. G. T.

Veteran Lodge No. 7, I. O. G. T., meets this evening as usual in Loring Hall, Eleventh and Clay streets. There will be important and interesting business before the lodge.

Last Thursday evening there was a good turnout of members and quite a lot of visitors present from Veteran Lodge. There was initiation of candidates, some interesting reports by the delegates to the District Lodge and other important business.

C. T. Brother Fred Humphrey gave the initiatory work in a very satisfactory manner, and was well supported by the other officers. Some of the members of Veteran Lodge are doing a considerable of visiting of other lodges and we believe it is a good work, it encourages the members of weak lodges and cheers up the strong ones and helps them to work more effectually and faithfully.

This evening the Veterans will have their regular monthly dime social, and a good time is promised. All members of the order and all friends of the cause are invited to be present and help make this social a grand success.

VIKING LODGE, I. O. G. T.

Viking Lodge, I. O. G. T., meets [illegible] evening as usual in Loring Hall, Eleventh and Clay streets. There will be initiation of candidates and other very important business to come before the lodge.

The Vikings will consider the subject this evening of taking another hall, and it is desirable that every member should be present and take part in this important matter.

Last Saturday evening the Vikings held an open meeting and gave an invitation to their friends, which was accepted by many of the members of Leading Star and other lodges, besides some who do not belong to the order, but are friendly to the cause.

The Vikings' entertainment was voted a great success.

LEADING STAR LODGE, I. O. G. T.

Leading Star Lodge, I. O. G. T., of San Francisco, held a very pleasant entertainment last Thursday evening, which was well attended by the members and the members of other lodges.

It is said that Leading Star has five or six candidates to initiate every meeting and it is predicted that this is bound to be one of the strong lodges of the State in the near future.

Leading Star is the new Swedish Good Templars Lodge lately organized by the members of Viking Lodge.

BEN HUR COURT NO. 12.

After a short business session last Friday evening Ben Hur Court No. 12 had one of their good old-time impromptu programs. Accompanied by the piano, Sister A. E. Moon whistled a couple of lively tunes, much to the delight of all present; Sister M. McCarthy gave some pretty piano selections; Brother C. B. Moon gave one of his amusing characteristic sketches of a stuttering boy.

Brother and Sister Ralston of Court No. 6, with their genial smile and kindly words, added much to the pleasure of the evening. The Ben Hur orchestra of Court 12, which is always gladly welcomed, occupied the balance of the evening.

Nominations of officers will take place tomorrow evening. A large attendance of members is requested.

THE ROYAL HIGHLANDERS.

California Castle No. 439, The Royal Highlanders, met in regular session at their Castle Hall, 412 Thirteenth street, last Tuesday evening.

A very pleasant evening was spent, a nice attendance of fair ladies and clansmen being present.

During the evening an invitation from Mrs. F. J. Edwards was read inviting all members of the castle to her beautiful home at 1389 Alice street, next Wednesday evening, December 20.

The newly-organized Degree Team, under the command of Captain W. H. McKinzie, gave a number of fancy drills, which were very pleasing to all present. The team showed a marked improvement since organization, which speaks well for the earnest efforts of Clansman McKinzie.

The Highlander Orchestra was present and furnished fine music for the social part of the evening.

Next Tuesday evening the Tower Building ceremonies will be performed, after which the castle doors will be open to the friends of all the members, to enjoy the social dance.

FRATERNAL BROTHERHOOD.

Oakland Lodge No. 123, T. F. B., held its annual election of officers on last Thursday night at Maple Hall. As the lodge had donated the use of the lower lodge hall for the doll show for the benefit of the West Oakland Home, the meeting was held in the upper hall. One applicant was elected to membership and four candidates were initiated.

The following officers were elected: Physicians, Dr. A. S. Kelly and Dr. C. C. Cole; treasurer, A. S. Ormsby (re-elected); president, J. N. King; vice-president, Mrs. E. C. Voorhies (re-elected); secretary, J. E. Bourne (re-elected); chaplain, Alice T. Jackson (re-elected); S. at A., Andrew Cosgrove; M. at A., Mary Larue; inner doorkeeper, Maude Thompson; outer doorkeeper, Mrs. E. A. Miller (re-elected); trustees, H. J. Finney and Frank Harald; finance committee, R. R. Lomax and W. J. Courtney; musician, Mrs. Heineman (re-elected).

At the close of the business meeting dancing was enjoyed until a late hour. This evening the usual open meeting will be held at Maple Hall, and the usual pleasant time with whist and dancing is anticipated. Invitations may be obtained from the members.

PIEDMONT PARLOR, N. D. G. W.

[illegible] parlor has postponed its whist tournament until Thursday evening, January 11, 1906.

CONCORDIA GERMAN REBEKAHS.

Concordia German Rebekah Lodge, I. O. O. F., elected the following officers for the ensuing term: Sister Gloi, re-elected N. G.; Sister Olga Copp, V. G.; Sister L. C. Christman, recording secretary; Sister Miller, financial secretary; Sister Winter, re-elected treasurer.

This lodge is in excellent, and indeed, prosperous condition and has a bright and glorious future before it. Next Friday evening at their place of meeting in Gier's Hall, this lodge will give a grand whist tournament for the benefit of the Odd Fellows' Orphan Home. Valuable prizes have been secured for this noble and praiseworthy object. All well disposed persons and good whist players are cordially invited to attend. Forget it not.

OAKLAND LODGE, K. of P.

At the assemblage of Oakland Lodge held on Thursday evening, December 7, the following list of members were elected to control its destiny for the approaching year 1906: Chancellor commander, James Milne; vice-chancellor, James McNamara; prelate, John Patterson; master-at-arms, Bro. Clayton; keeper of records and seal, B. D. Gans; master of finance, A. L. Hannaford; master of exchequer, Joseph Gilman; master of work, James Bobet; inner guard, W. H. Ball; outer guard, A. P. O'Neill; physician, Dr. J. R. Fearn.

One application for membership was received. After the business of the lodge had been completed it was closed in due form and all present invited to participate in the collation which was served in the adjoining hall. When the inner man had been refreshed a speedy return was made to the lodge room and the district meeting was called to order. Questions of importance were taken up and ably discussed. Orators were in abundance, so also were musicians, both vocal and instrumental, who helped to make a pleasant evening.

The rank of esquire will be conferred tonight on Page Curtis H. Gibbs.

OAKLAND COURT NO. 6.

Oakland Court No. 6 was largely attended last Monday evening. The scribe read four applications for membership. Officers were nominated for the ensuing term. Nominations will still be open next Monday evening, when the election will take place.

As we entered the lodgeroom and saw the charter heavily draped we were reminded that last Sunday, amid beautiful flowers, in Mountain View, we laid away our loved Sister Comstock. She will be greatly missed. The bereaved family has the heartfelt sympathy of Court 6. There will be no lodge meeting on Monday evening, December 25.

A large attendance is desired next Monday evening at the temple. Business of importance will be transacted.

OAKLAND LODGE, I. O. G. T.

Oakland Lodge No. 162, I. O. G. T., held its regular weekly meeting Monday evening at Foresters' Hall, with thirty members. Two candidates were initiated and several applications voted on. A motion to adjourn till January 1, 1906, was carried; also a motion to meet promptly at 8 p. m.

The entertainment next Monday evening will be free and open to all friends of our cause. A Christmas box will be made up of donations brought then to send to our 200 orphans at the I. O. G. T. Home for Orphans at Vallejo, Cal.

A lodge was organized last Friday evening at San Leandro by Capt. W. C. Dutton, and next Friday a delegation will help them install their officers, etc. The opposition paper, known as the Oakland Post, was a decided success. The members who were absent missed a decided treat.

COMPANIONS OF FORESTERS OF AMERICA.

Imperial Circle, No. 629, gave a dramatic entertainment at Foresters' Hall Tuesday evening, on which occasion the Bohemian Dramatic Club presented the four-act drama, "A Noble Outcast," with the following cast of characters: "Jerry, the Tramp," Gerald M. Lawlor; "Jack Worthington," A. B. Windam; "James Blackburn," Will McCutcheon; "Col. Matthew Lee," Charles Burnham; "Frances Lee," Miss Emma Appleton; "Mrs. Lee," Miss Dorah Fleck; "Sadie," Miss Rose Latimer. The title role of "Jerry, the Tramp," [illegible] audience as "Frances Lee," and her rendition of this difficult character gave evidence of her natural dramatic ability, which won merited applause and several beautiful floral tributes from admiring friends. "James Blackburn," the schemer, was well impersonated by Will McCutcheon, and the aged father had a good representative in Charles Burnham. Miss Dorah Fleck displayed much of her sympathetic nature in the role of the foster mother, and Miss Rose Latimer made a clever "Sadie."

Dancing followed the entertainment, and all pronounced the affair a complete success.

On Saturday evening the members of the Bohemian Dramatic Club were the guest of the Past Chief Ranger, Mrs. M. J. O'Dea, at an informal reception and banquet given at her spacious home in West Oakland.

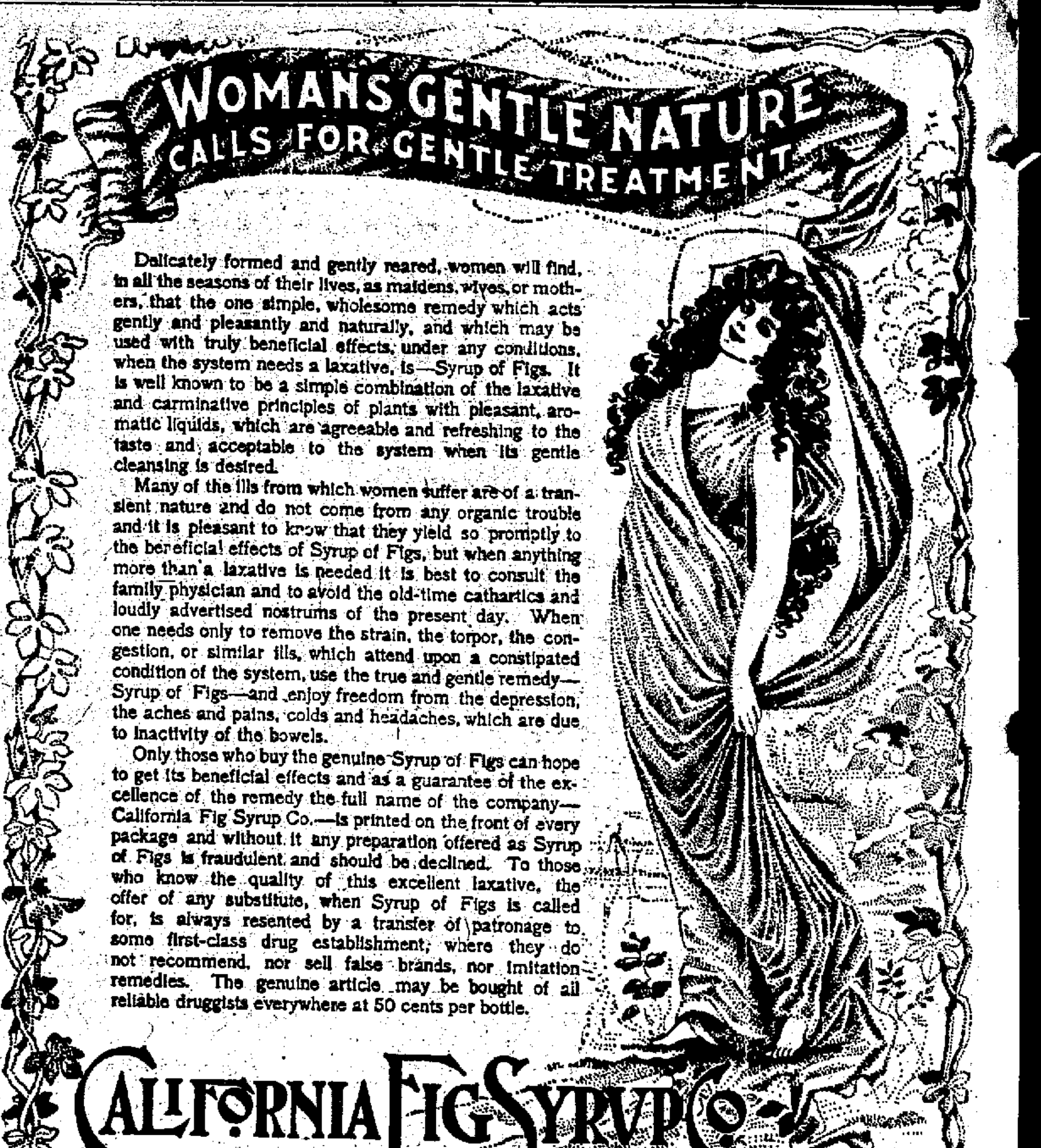
CHURCH CHOIR TO GIVE CONCERT

A concert, which has been carefully prepared and rehearsed under the direction of John McEwing, of the Orpheus Club, is announced by the choir of the Eighth avenue Methodist Church at the corner of Eighth avenue and Seventeenth street, to take place in the church edifice tonight, beginning at 8:15 o'clock.

There are to be solos by Mr. McEwing, C. M. Katzenbach, Mrs. Mollie Melvin Dewing and Mrs. Alexander Young, besides quartettes, trios, and several choruses by the choir, which has been greatly augmented for the occasion. Among the latter offerings will be the bridal chorus from "Rose Maiden," the "Watchword," from "The Crusaders," and others.

Mrs. William Cook and Mrs. Wentworth are to act as accompanists.

Courtship is a sort of coo-partnership.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CHANGES RECOMMENDED BY COMMERCE COMMISSION

Several Important Amendments Are Suggested in the Annual Report.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 14.—The nineteenth annual report of the Interstate Commerce Commission was transmitted to Congress today.

In previous reports the commission has repeatedly called attention to the necessity for certain amendments and additions to the present act to regulate commerce, and in this report the commission sets forth the general reasons for proposed amendments contained in the form of a bill, which has been submitted to the Senate Committee on Interstate Commerce in compliance with a request therefor, and this bill is printed as an appendix to the report.

The most important amendment is delegation of authority to the commission to determine what rate should be substituted for the future in place of the one found after full hearing to be unlawful, with the further provision that the order of the commission prescribing such substituted rate shall take effect within a reasonable time, unless vacated or set aside by judicial proceedings.

SHOULD BE OMITTED.

The commission recommends that the phrase "under common control, management or arrangement," in the first section of the law, be omitted. This would make the regulating statute apply to certain classes of carriers now exempt from its application and requirements.

The definition in the first section of the term "transportation" should be enlarged so as to include the charges for various services, such as refrigeration and the like, which are now claimed to be beyond the authority of a commission. The obligation to furnish the services here referred to is also proposed, which is likewise a point now in dispute.

It is not recommended at this time that the carriers should be prohibited from using private cars, or from employing the owners of such cars to perform the icing service if they find that course to their advantage, but the commission does recommend that these charges should be put on the same basis as all other freight charges, so far as they can be.

SUSPENDS ACTION.

The commission has held that the present law requires the publication and maintenance of export rates, and that good policy also demands the same course.

In view of the fact, however, that it has been earnestly insisted that the enforcement of this rule would seriously interfere with our foreign business, especially in the handling of cotton through southern ports, and of certain imports and exports through Pacific Coast ports, the commission decided to suspend action until Congress had opportunity to consider and act upon the subject.

WOULD MODIFY.

The commission proposes therefore that the sixth section be so modified as to plainly include this species of traffic, but that the commission be given power to suspend and modify the requirement in this respect whenever that may seem necessary in the public interest.

It is stated that not only have various devices for evading the Elkins law been brought into use, but the actual payment of rebates, as such, has been here and there resumed. Instances of this kind have been established by convincing proof, on which prosecutions have been commenced and are now pending.

The report shows 568 complaints filed with the commission during the year, including both formal and informal proceedings.

The number of investigations on formal complaint instituted during the years is 65, involving directly the rates and practices of 321 carriers.

FORTY-FIVE DECISIONS.

Forty-five formal decisions have been rendered during the year. This number, greater than in any previous year, includes cases of unreasonable rates, discrimination between localities, between commodities and between persons, and also in facilities of transportation, with some cases involving departure from published tariff rates and some relating chiefly to reparation.

According to the customary preliminary report on income accounts, the gross earnings of 752 companies, operating a mileage of 214,477 miles for the year ending June 30, 1905, were $2,073,177,325.

The gross earnings from operation averaged $9666 per mile of line. This average is considerably higher than the like average for any other year for which a statistical report has been published by the commission.

The preliminary report shows that these companies declared dividends during the year to the amount of $196,080,237, and the dividends declared by practically the same roads during the year 1904 were $184,313,472.

It should be borne in mind, however, that the preliminary reports are confined to the returns of operating roads only, and so exclude all dividends declared by subsidiary companies, the property of which is leased to others for operation.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

For the year ending June 30, 1904, the final statistical report showed that the total amount of dividends declared by all the railway companies covered by that report—that is, both operating and leased lines—was $221,941,049.

It is stated that within the past year decided improvement has taken place in the condition of safety appliances on all roads subject to the provisions of the statute.

The commission says that the need of a high standard of physical and mental condition for certain classes of employes and care on the part of supervisory officers to see that proper regulations are maintained and obeyed is quite generally recognized and a considerable number of railroads have prescribed rules limiting the number of hours of work and providing rest periods, but these rules appear to have been very poorly enforced.

The commission again urges the passage of a block signal law to prevent rear-end collisions, which are the greatest single cause of death and injury to passengers. The commission further recommends that the government should investigate train accidents and promptly furnish the facts concerning them.

CHRISTMAS SHOPPERS SHOULD VISIT H. MORTON'S JEWELRY STORE IN SELECTING PRESENTS.

One of the finest assortments of diamonds, watches, jewelry, clocks, cut-glass, etc., ever shown in this city, is now being displayed by Mr. H. Morton (successor to the A. Steffanoni Co.) at his well appointed store on the corner of Broadway and Thirteenth street. In staple articles, jewelry and silver novelties the selection is a large and varied one, while the prices asked are most reasonable. Where engraving is desired it is done without charge to patrons by one of most skilled engravers in this county. Special attention is paid to fine watch repairing, jewelry manufacturing, and diamond setting, all this work being done on the premises by mechanics who are experts in their lines. Mr. Morton is one of the best and most favorably known jewelers on this coast, having for 16 years conducted the leading jewelry store in San Jose. Five months ago he purchased the A. Steffanoni place of business, and since his accession, has enjoyed a most lucrative trade. Mr. Morton is a practical man in his line, having had a wide experience of over thirty years. Prospective buyers would do well to visit this popular and reliable store where they will meet with the most prompt and courteous attention by the large staff of experienced and obliging clerks. The exceptionally pretty and artistic display windows are most attractive and have caused much favorable comment. This store will remain open evenings until after the holidays.

BLANKET STOLEN.

Mrs. H. Davis, residing at 417½ Sixth street, reported to the police this morning that some one had stolen a blanket valued at $3 from her house yesterday.

SMALL FIRE.

Fire last night did $20 worth of damage to the residence of W. T. Arturburn, 1657 Eighth street. The blaze originated in an ash barrel. It was extinguished by the Fire Department.

Christmas Gifts

Japanese Goods

Xmas Presents GIVEN AWAY to Everyone Purchasing 25c and Up.

Satsuma Vases	$1.50 to $15.00
Cloisonne Vases	50c to $12.00
Brass Jardinieres	$1.25 to $15.00
Brass Hanging Vases	$1.00 to $6.50
Brass Vases	25c to $15.00
Netsuke Purses	$1.50 to $8.50
Silk Purses	10c to $1.50
Drawn-work Collars	10c to 65c
Drawn-work Handkerchiefs	15c to 50c
Drawn-work Center Pieces	50c to $15.00
Drawn-work Doilies	5c to 50c
Tea Sets	$1.25 to $12.00
Chocolate Sets	$2.75 to $8.00
Cups and Saucers	10c to $5.00
Kimonos	$1.00 to $18.00

The Fuji

963 WASHINGTON ST., Oakland. Phone Oakland 4617.

MORAN NAMED

Well Known Newspaper Man Apdoinied on Commission.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 14.—Edwin F. Moran, who has been secretary of the Civil Service Commission since 1900, when the charter went into effect, was today appointed civil service commissioner to succeed John W. Rogers, who resigned some time ago to become curator of the Park Museum.

Commissioner Moran, who took his seat at a special meeting of the commission this afternoon, is a well known newspaper man. A. H. Powers, editor of the Grocer's Advocate, will succeed Moran as secretary of the commission.

RACE ENTRIES.

TOMORROW'S SELECTIONS.

FIRST RACE—Frolic, Legal Form, Prominence.

SECOND RACE—Love's Labor, Duelist, Langford James.

THIRD RACE—Eleven Bells, Scherzo, Major Tenny.

FOURTH RACE—Smithy Kane, Gossiper, Escamando.

FIFTH RACE—Briers, Maid of Fermoy, Royalty.

SIXTH RACE—Blue Eyes, Gregor K., Gateway.

First race—Five and a half furlongs; 2-year-olds; selling:

Index.	Horse.	Wt.
5790	Governor Davis	112
8904	Chief Wittman	112
8927	Rotron	109
8904	Abe Meyer	109
8927	Frolic	112
8922	Bakersfield	112
8885	Commodore Eastland	109
8861	Helen S.	109
——	*Prominence	104
8903	Alma Boy	109
8891	Sizz	109
8921	Captain Burnett	109
8484	*J. K. F.	107
8904	Legal Form	112

Second race—One mile; 4-year-olds and up; selling:

Index.	Horse.	Wt.
8893	Distributor	106
8937	Maud Muller	106
8894	Moor	106
7312	Master	106
8928	Standard	106
8810	Billy Lyons	106
8876	Love's Labor	106
8867	Box Elder	106
8876	May Holliday	106
8809	Leash	106
8935	Duelist	106
8925	Toto Gratoit	106
8877	Olympian	109
8833	*Langford James	101

Third race—One mile; 4-year-olds and up; selling:

Index.	Horse.	Wt.
8868	Mordente	106
8879	Genbriar	106
8888	Prestano	106
8938	Allopath	105
8936	Haven Run	106
8933	Cloche D'Or	106
8877	Major Tenny	106
8921	Hi-Caul-Cap	106
8928	Tam O'Shanter	106
8899	Harry Beck	106
8865	San Lution	106
8931	Scherzo	109
8931	*Eleven Bells	101
8928	Hipponax	111

Fourth race—Futurity; 3-year-olds; selling:

Index.	Horse.	Wt.
8923	Escamando	107
8887	Speaker Fontana	107
8835	Mrs. Annie	107
8923	Gossiper	107
8911	Artillery Star	107
8862	Edrodus	107
8823	Bear Hunter	107
8929	Smithy Kane	107
8907	Swift Queen	107
8935	The Roustabout	107
8934	Melor	107
8923	George P. McNear	107
8911	Nabonazzar	110
——	*Gallice	102
——	*Alderman Batt	102

Fifth race—One mile and fifty yards; 3-year-olds and up; selling:

Index.	Horse.	Wt.
8848	Maid of Fermoy	101
8933	Glenarvon	103
8897	Holly Berry	105
8941	Royalty	102
8933	Silurian	102
8933	Sherry	105
8931	Rey Dare	105
8848	*Amirad	97
8877	Briers	105

Sixth race—One mile; 2-year-olds and up; purse:

Index.	Horse.	Wt.
8920	Blue Eyes	107
8924	Gateway	107
8919	Wexford	106
8882	Gregor K	107
8890	St. George Jr.	110

SCHOOLS CLOSE.

All of the public schools of the city will close tomorrow afternoon for the period of two weeks for the Christmas vacation. They will convene again on January 2d. The present term does not, however, terminate with the closing of the schools but goes on until January 19th at which time the regular term examinations will be held.

The majority of the schools will hold exercises in the school rooms tomorrow. There will be no troublesome examinations to mar the festivities.

The school year thus far has been the most prosperous in the history of Oakland's schools and the prospect for an equally large attendance after the Yule-tide days are good. Superintendent McClymonds states that the mid term which is practically at a close has been the banner term without question.

WHIST TOURNAMENT.

A grand whist tournament will be given by the Ladies of St. Columba's Parish at Maple Hall, corner of Fourteenth and Webster streets, tomorrow evening, beginning at 8 o'clock. The admission will be fifty cents. There will be many valuable prizes and a large attendance is expected.

TO MANAGE CINCINNATI.

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—Ned Hanlon today signed a contract to manage the Cincinnati National League baseball team during the coming season. Mr. Hanlon retires as the manager of the Brooklyn National League

OLD FLAG HOUSE

Property Has Been Purchased for the U. S. Government.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 14—The two-story brick structure at 239 Arch street, known as the "Old Flag House," where Betsy Ross designed the American flag, has been purchased by the Government.

Final payment on the property was made today. On October 27, 1798, a meeting was held in the "Old Flag House," under the direction of John Quincy Adams and Charles H. Weisgarber, and the American Flag House and Betsy Ross Memorial Association was formed and later incorporated.

The object was to purchase the historic dwelling and to save it to the nation.

This was accomplished through the issuance of membership certificates at the uniform price of ten cents, and the co-operation of the people of the entire country. There are a million stockholders.

LAID TENDERLY TO REST

The death of Miss Adelaide Tepper, the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tepper of Hopkins street, Upper Fruitvale, evoked sympathy for the bereaved parents from the people of the neighborhood and this fact caused a large number of both old and young to attend the obsequies which were affecting in the extreme.

The casket was covered with a pall of roses and about the chamber of death were trained beautiful floral tributes, the simple ones expressing the sorrow of children who were members of the Sunday school class of the deceased.

The exercises were feelingly conducted by Rev. Mr. Jatho who delivered a touching eulogy of the deceased in German and who, at the same time, endeavored to console the sorely-grieved parents. Similar efforts were delivered in English by Rev. Mr. Damon and Rev. Albert Rhoda of the Fruitvale Presbyterian Church of the Sunday school of which the deceased was a zealous member.

The hymnal exercises were rendered by the Sunday school class of the deceased, under the direction of Mrs. Holmes, the singers being Gertrude Holten, Irene Reynolds, Gwendoline Reynolds, and Aimee Nichols. These vocal efforts were amplified by memorial numbers sung by members of Oakland Verein Eintracht, under the direction of Professor Kaehler. The Eintracht also rendered selections at the grave.

The pall-bearers were H. Henequin, William Johnson, Edward Jantzen, Al Bothe and Frank J. Tillman.

The honorary pall-bearers were members of the Sunday school of the deceased, viz, Edith Griffin, Elsie Griffin, Verna Amar, Elsie Clark, Hazel Clark and Mollie Jasper.

A large number of friends accompanied the remains to the grave in Mountain View Cemetery.

GATEWAY FOR THE PARK LOST

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 14.—The will of the late Honora Sharp was sustained by a verdict of the jury rendered this afternoon. By this action Park Commissioners Reuben Lloyd and Adolf Spreckels will lose the sum of $200,000 which had been deeded in trust by her for the erection of a magnificent gateway and entrance to Golden Gate Park.

REPORTS MADE ON ACADEMY BOYS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 14.—A resolution providing for a thorough investigation of the situation and conditions at the naval academy was introduced today by Representative Loud of Michigan.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 14.—Secretary Bonaparte has received the report of Rear-Admiral Sands, superintendent of the Naval Academy at Anapolis, upon the hazing of Midshipman Jerome P. Kimbrough.

The superintendent recommends the summary dismissal of Midshipman Tremore Coffin Jr., of the third class, and Midshipman Warren A. Vanderver, of the second class; Coffin for hazing, and Vanderver for failing to report it.

The secretary has the report under consideration.

It can be authoritatively announced that if it is within the power of the Navy Department to stamp out hazing in any form at the academy it will be done speedily.

Glove Orders
MOSS—455—13th St.

TOOK HIS OWN LIFE

Thought He Killed Woman and Did Not Want to Live.

LONG BEACH, Cal., Dec. 14.—Swen Swenson, a seaman, committed suicide at the home of J. Joberjug, his friend, in this city today. Yesterday Swenson attempted to kill a woman named Baptiste Gagmarie, but succeeded only in inflicting a scalp wound after firing twice at her. Believing he had killed the woman, Swenson fled to Long Beach, where he ended his life with a revolver today.

WANT TO WIDEN BROADWAY

EFFORT WILL BE MADE TO CONDEMN CERTAIN PROPERTY.

Taxpayers who are interested in the widening of Broadway above Fourteenth street are making preparations to bring condemnation proceedings in order to widen the thoroughfare from Fourteenth street several hundred feet north. The parties interested assert that a portion of the Plater block stands on the street line and they will bring an action to have a portion of the building condemned. They clame that according to the old Peralta grant and the old Kellersburg map, the lines of the street were much wider than they are at present and that the property on the west side of the thoroughfare was taken by private parties without authority of law. Years ago John Potter made a claim to the property and fenced in a section of the land, which at that time was claimed as a public street. It is now proposed to take the matter into court and to have the portion of the Plater block which it is alleged occupies the street condemned. It is then proposed to proceed at once to widen Broadway on the West side.

ANOTHER VENIRE OF JURORS

TRIAL OF THE CASE AGAINST JOHN SCHNEIDER IS BEGUN ANEW.

The trial of John Schneider, one of the youths accused of the murder of Thomas Cook out at Fruitvale, was begun anew this morning before Judge Ellsworth in Department No. 5 of the Superior Court. The trial was first begun a week ago, but owing to a technical error creeping into the proceedings the special venire jurors were all excused and the trial ordered to start afresh.

The dismissal of the special venire necessitated the summoning of a new panel of sixty jurors, who answered to their names this morning as follows: Henry Dusterberry, George P. Lvorie, Frank Peixouta, M. J. Souza, R. E. Smith, J. W. Rigsby, C. H. Hatch, J. P. Sarmento, E. H. Stevenson, J. P. Machado, J. C. Mowry, A. H. Snow, F. Falk, M. E. Dee, W. H. Tyson, T. Sullivan, M. J. Sullivan, G. E. Chittenden, Henry May, Edwin Whipple, Antone Raposa, T. B. Fair, J. W. Stevenson, A. G. Francisco, S. Calderia, A. Salna, J. H. Peterson, D. F. Moody, Thomas Bedard, Peter Nolan, Frank Fennon, Chris Schmidt, B. P. Barker, Joseph Fletcher, Fred Schrader, Theodore Gorner, Marshall Mack, N. G. Callaghan, Daniel Teeters, P. H. McVicer, George E. Kennedy, Jesse Bowles, John Armstrong, J. F. Meyers, Thomas Lawlor, J. McIver, William Collier, E. M. Heller, W. H. Martin, E. Schween, Joseph P. Rose, Augustine Bernal, William Napier, Hermann Harms, Edward Gunn, N. Hansen, J. J. Coughlan, Henry Reimers, W. H. Koopman.

Attorney Austin Lewis represents Schneider, while Attorney Allen is prosecuting the case for the people, and they are now engaged in questioning the jurors in regard to their qualifications to sit as jurors in the case. Many of them state that they have read about the case, although they were all summoned far away from the scene of the crime. Some of them, however, have not followed the case closely, but several of them have said that they had a general idea that they were all equally guilty. This will probably tend to make the examinations longer than usual, and it is expected that each side will exhaust its challenges and that it will take the entire to secure a jury.

RACES

INGLESIDE (Race Track), Dec. 14.—The result of today's races was as follows:

FIRST RACE—Five furlongs; 2-year-old fillies:

Sugar Maid (Wright), 4 to 1....1
Tavora (Powell), 8 to 1....2
Santa Rey (League), 8 to 5....3
Time—1:02¾.

In this race there was a mix-up and four jockeys were thrown from their horses.

SECOND RACE—One mile; 4-year-olds and up; selling:

Adirondack (Graham), 2 to 1....1
Jack Little (Minder), 3 to 1....2
Ora McKinney (Williams), 6 to 1....3
Time—1:44.

THIRD RACE—One mile; 4-year-olds and up; selling:

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BODY AT THE MORGUE IS FULLY IDENTIFIED

Officers Are Almost Certain That F. H. M'Grath Was Murdered.

F. W. Willis, a soldier who was formerly in the Philippine Islands, this afternoon identified the man who was shot on the Oakland Mole a week ago as Francis H. McGrath. The identification was made from the army record containing descriptions of the deceased. Two marks on the stomach and marks on the limbs of the deceased were the principal means of identification. Willis is positive about the identity and states that he was in the Philippines with the deceased in 1899.

The description of the dead man was furnished by C. B. Clark, first sergeant of the Sixteenth Company Coast Artillery of Fort Baker. In 1901 McGrath killed the poundmaster of Sausalito. A few months later he killed a sailor on the United States revenue cutter Bear. At that time the sailors of the Bear swore vengeance. It is thought that McGrath was murdered, but Willis is unable to furnish a motive. A few weeks ago McGrath had a fight in the Belevedere saloon in San Francisco, in which he was badly beaten by a gang. It is thought probable that he was afterwards shot by some member of this gang and placed in a row boat and cast into the bay, the body drifting to the Oakland Mole and lodging among the breakwater rocks where it was found.

HOLDS MANY NOTES

Petition for a partial distribution of the estate of the late Clark LaMotte Goddard, which is valued at $121,725.64, has been made to Judge Ogden and will come up for hearing in the morning. The estate was divided by the deceased among his widow, Louise B. Goddard, and Malcolm Goddard, his son, and Florence Goddard, his daughter. The estate consists of real estate valued at $18,200 located both in this city and San Francisco, and the following personal property:

Note of E. A. Heron and Myron T. Holcomb, $2650; note of Peter Madsen, $1500; note of Bertha M. Moore, $2800; note of Joseph M. Howland, $1850; note of Myron H. Fish, $3250; of Frank M. Davis, $2250; Harriet E. Turnbull, $2500; Frank M. Davis, $2250; another for $2000; Myron H. Fish, $1900; John A. Mitchell, $2000; J. W. Hoag, $2500; John C. Walling, $3000; Mary E. Day, $600; Frank H. Ayers, $2750; Augustus Johnson, $1500; another for $1500; same, $1500; E. A. Heron and Myron R. Holcomb, $3500; Heron-Holcomb Company, $3250; Karl H. Nickel, E. A. Heron and Myron T. Holcomb, $2000; Maria T. and Abner Baldwin, $1300; Eugene J. Drussel, $2800; Fannie M. P. Deas, $2650; Harry Huhs, $700; Hubert Judge, $5000; George A. Baker, $1000; same, $1000; William R. Coon, $2000; Shepherd S. Everett, $2200; Amelia and John H. Lane, $6000; J. B. Wimer, $3500; William R. Coon, $1400. These notes total up the sum of $79,525.82 with their accrued interest, and the remainder of the estate is made up of cash in various banks, stocks and miscellaneous personal property and outstanding dental accounts and partnership interest with Dr. H. D. Noble.

The executrix shows that she has received from the estate since April 1, the sum of $31,048.95, and expended the sum of $6906.14, leaving a cash balance on hand of $24,142.81. She states, however, that this is not sufficient to satisfy the cash legacies to Malcolm and Florence Goddard, and rather than sell the securities it is proposed to give Malcolm Goddard the sum of $4950 in cash and the balance of the $19,000 legacy left him is to be made up of a certain number of the personal notes which have already been mentioned and which are secured by mortgages. To Florence Goddard was left the sum of $16,000, and she is also willing to take a part of the notes as her share of the estate.

HEAVY MORTGAGE.

A mortgage was placed on record this afternoon from Henry J. Crocker of San Francisco to the German Savings & Loan Society for the sum of $125,000. The mortgage covered the land owned by Crocker near San Jose and commonly known as the Crocker Stock Ranch and some other land in Alameda and Contra Costa counties, comprising altogether several thousand acres.

Too Late For Classification

WANTED—A woman for general housework; wages $25; references. Inquire at 4920 Telegraph ave. e

EXPERIENCED collector for a credit house; must know Oakland and environs; state age, experience and salary expected. Address Box 751 Tribune. d

AMERICAN woman wants day work; no heavy wash; address or call room 32, 470 San Pablo ave. h

LOST—Purse on Washington street, containing money and keys; return Bowman's Drug Store, 14th and Broadway. Reward. r

PRIVATE family have two nicely furnished housekeeping rooms for adults; bath and gas. Inquire 511 16th st. 1

WANTED—Boy about 15 years age to peddle fruit. 1064 12th ave., E. Okd. d

WANTED—Any kind of work by strong energetic man. Address Box 568 Tribune. f

FOUND—Neck fur on 14th and Broadway last Tuesday evening; call and identify. 14 Wayne ave., East Oakland. r

FOR SALE—Nicely furnished 7-room flat; close in; low rent of $17.50; $275. 809 Grove st. w

LOST—$5 reward; at Piedmont Springs, Dec. 12, Mink boa. Return to Oakland Tribune. r

FOR SALE—Two brooders cheap. Roos, Blaine ave., near High. x

NICE, sunny room; suitable for two people with board. Enquire 1522 Webster. q

FOR SALE—Two good milk cows. 2144 Chestnut st. x

WANTED—Small boy to learn the wire trade. 1008 Franklin. d

WANTED—Capable young woman (Swedish or Danish preferred), for cooking and general housework in family of 3; wages $30. Phone Oakland 6390 or write Box 263 Tribune office. e

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

CENTRAL BANK OF OAKLAND, CAL.

A dividend has been declared to savings depositors for the six months ending December 31, 1905, at the rate of three and one-half (3.50) per cent per annum on all savings deposits, payable on and after January 2, 1906. [illegible]

COTTON BROTHERS WIN THEIR CASE

Judge Melvin has given judgment in favor of Cotton Brothers & Co in a mandamus suit to compel County Auditor G. W. Bacon to audit claims aggregating $5487.15 for work done on bridges between Mount Eden and Alvarado.

JURY SECURED.

A jury was obtained to try young Schneider, who is accused of murder, this afternoon, consisting of the following men: G. L. Broadwater, John E. Holmes, H. S. Smith, J. F. Myers, A. H. Snow, David McCarron, William H. Waltz, G. E. Chittenden, J. C. Mowry, J. B. Fair, Frank Peixouta and G. M. Heller. It is expected that the trial of the case will now go rapidly forward.

BORN.

WHITE—In this city, December 13, 1905, to the wife of Herman S. White, a son.

DIED

WALLAND—In this city, Dec. 1, 1905, Randolph, beloved son of Andreas O. and Inga Walland and brother of Otto and the late Irving Walland, a native of California, aged 19 years, 6 months.

ROBINSON—In this city, Dec. 13, 1905, Encarnacion Robinson, a native of California, aged 71 years, 10 months, 2 days.

☞Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral Friday, Dec. 15, 1905, at 8:30 o'clock a. m., at her late residence No. 506 Harrison street; thence to the Church of Immaculate Conception, where service will be held for the repose of her soul at 9 o'clock. Interment St. Mary's Cemetery.

BONSON—In Berkeley, Dec. 14, 1905, Hilda Bonson, a native of South Dakota, aged 24 years.

CARD OF THANKS.

WE hereby express our most sincere thanks to our many friends for the kind sympathy shown us in the bereavement occasioned by our loving daughter and sister, Adelaide, as also for the beautiful floral offerings. We wish especially to return thanks to the singing section of the Oakland Verein Eintracht, Rev. Mr. Jatho, Rev. Mr. Damon, Rev. A. Rhoda, Mr. E. Wolitz, and the Sunday-school class of the Fruitvale Presbyterian Church.

MR. AND MRS. CHARLES TEPPER, FREDA TEPPER.

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Phone Oakland 4606
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NOTICE OF TIME SET FOR PROVING WILL, ETC.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Margaret Perrin, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of Margaret Perrin, deceased, and for the issuance to Edmund Freund of letters testamentary thereon, has been filed in this Court, and that Friday, the 29th day of December, A. D. 1905, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Courtroom of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated December 14th, 1905.

JOHN P. COOK, Clerk.

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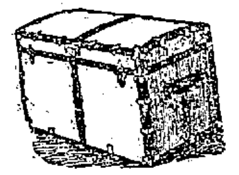

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WIDOW SEEKS LETTERS ON ESTATE

The petition of Mrs. E. F. A. Elmer to be made administratrix of the estate of Robert G. Elmer, who died suddenly last week from pneumonia, was filed with the County Clerk yesterday afternoon by Attorney R. B. Tappan. The petition is as follows:

"The petition of E. F. A. Elmer respectfully shows to this court:—That the said Robert G. Elmer died in the city of Alameda, in said county and State, on or about the 7th day of December, 1905, at which time he was a resident of the said city of Alameda.

"That he left surviving him your petitioner, his widow, and a son, Robert A. Elmer.

"That your petitioner has made search among the papers left by the deceased for a last will and testament but your petitioner alleges that deceased died inestate, that among the papers of deceased your petitioner found what purports to be the last will and testament, executed by the deceased on the 5th day of June, 1896, which said last will and testament is entirely in the handwriting of the said deceased, with the exception of the three figures going to make up the year '1896,' that the figures in this year only the last one, that is, the "6" in the handwriting of said deceased and for that reason your petitioner alleges that said document is not the olographic will of the deceased. That said purported olographic will is herewith presented and filed with this petition.

"That deceased at the time of his death was the owner of the following real and personal property:

"Cash, in different banks, in the sum of ten thousand (10,000) dollars; stock of electrical supplies, in the store of the deceased at the city of Alameda, of the value of about five thousand (5000) dollars; book accounts of the value of about five hundred (500) dollars; a country home in the county of Santa Cruz, in said State, of the value of about one thousand (1000) dollars.

"That the nearest kin of said deceased are his widow, your petitioner, and said minor son, Robert A. Elmer.

"Wherefore, your petitioner, prays that after due hearing herein letters of administration in said estate be issued to your petitioner."

BEN HUR GOOD DRAWING CARD

LARGE AUDIENCES GREET THE PLAY AT THE MACDONOUGH.

Last night witnessed another good house at the Macdonough Theater to see the stupendous production of General Lew Wallace's "Ben Hur," the play which abounds in gorgeous scenery, costumes, fine acting and an augmented orchestra.

The play commences with a prelude, curtain symbolic of Rome and Jerusalem; meeting of the three wise men. "Suddenly in the air before them, not further than a low hill-top, flared a lambent flame. As they looked at the apparition contracted into a focus of dazzling lustre. * * * And they shouted as with one voice—'The Star; the Star.'" This scene of the prelude is wonderful. In fact, every scene is a piece of art; special mention, "The Grove of Daphne." Nobody can describe it. In act five "The Race," showing the chariots at full speed, the scenes of the crowded arena passing swiftly from you, the horses at full speed, makes it all too great to describe. You must see it to realize, see the smiling face of Messala as he turns around to see Ben Hur, who is behind; then the eager, anxious face of Ben Hur. Look, he is gaining; then, as he passes Messala, one of the wheels on Messala's chariot comes off, he falls from his chariot and Ben Hur wins. This scene is so true and realistic that it makes you feel like shouting and standing on your seat. It alone is worth the cost of admission.

Really, "Ben Hur" is, without a doubt, the greatest attraction ever presented in this city. It is a great undertaking on the part of the management of this theater, and the public should show their appreciation of a good thing by their attendance, so that in the future we may have the pleasure of witnessing all the stupendous attractions that visit this Coast; in other words, make our city one of the foremost in the desire for good, clean, artistic successes, for "Ben Hur" is certainly one of them and should not be overlooked.

NEW S. P. SLIP IS NEARLY READY

Work on the new Southern Pacific freight slip just south of the Oakland mole, the construction of which was commenced last October, has been pushed forward and it is expected that within the next ninety days it will be completed.

The need for such a slip has been felt for some time past as the freight traffic has assumed such proportions as to render prompt service under the present conditions almost impossible.

With the completion of the slip freight boats will be able to discharge their cargoes promptly and thus make a large number of trips per day. By this arrangement it is expected that more than double the amount of freight can be handled with little or no delay.

CIVIL SERVICE REFORM LEAGUE

MILWAUKEE, Dec. 14.—The twenty-fifth annual meeting of the National Civil Service reform league opened in Milwaukee today. Much regret is expressed at the absence of Secretary of the Navy Bonaparte, who was to have been the chief speaker. A meeting of the council was held in the forenoon.

The first public meeting was held this afternoon, when the subject of civil service reform in the West was treated in papers by Samuel E. Sparling, president of the Wisconsin Commission.

W. B. Moulton, president of the Illinois State Commission; Mr. Allan O. Harrison, secretary of the Kansas City, Missouri, Civic League, and others also spoke.

DIFFERENCES HAVE BEEN SETTLED

TOKIO, Dec. 14, 2 p. m.—The differences which existed between the Imperial University and the government have apparently been settled by the acceptance of the resignation of Kubola Yuzuru, the Minister of Education, by Premier Katsura, who will now take the portfolio of education.

The fact that no disciplinary measures have been taken against the professors of the University is deemed by those well informed as being an avowal of defeat upon the part of the government, whose power is visibly waning.

CABINET HOLDS FIRST MEETING

LONDON, Dec. 14.—The Campbell-Bannerman cabinet held its first meeting at Downing street at noon today to discuss the immediate program for the government, and particularly to fix a date in January for the dissolution of parliament, preparatory to a general election. There is reason to believe that January 8 was the date selected.

INCENSED STUDENTS RETURN TO CHINA

TOKIO, Dec. 14, 11:30 a. m.—Eighty-two hundred Chinese students, incensed at the attitude of the Chinese Minister to Japan, Yang Shu, in the University troubles, have resolved to return to China. Two thousand have already left this city. A manifesto issued by these students is decidedly antagonistic to the Manchu Dynasty.

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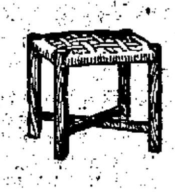

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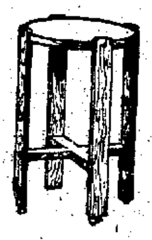

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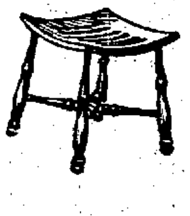

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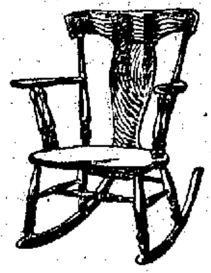

Rocker $4.75

An attractive piece in Quartered Oak, well built; saddle seat; a good value.

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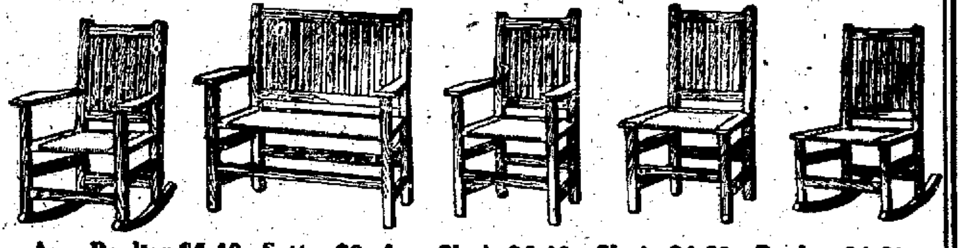

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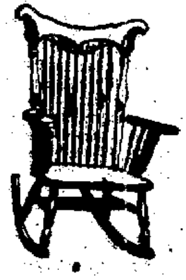

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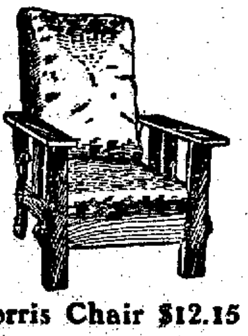

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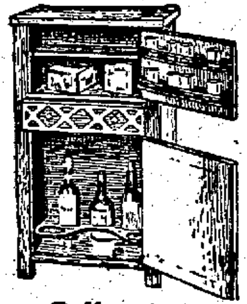

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It is the same old story at Ye Liberty this week, of big houses, enthusiastic audiences and a production so out of the ordinary, that one wonders at the magnificence and perfection of a stock company's endeavors. Resident Manager Frank Graham is offering the patrons of Ye Liberty an unusual treat this week with the massive production of Justin Huntley McCarthy's beautiful poetic drama, "If I Were King," for never before has such a perfect cast, more beautiful scenery or such gorgeous costumes and effects been seen on the local stage. Since the opening night of "If I Were King," the performances have gained in weight and atmosphere, the players have become more familiar with their parts, and the whole production now smacks of finish and unity.

James Neill and his charming and accomplished wife, Edythe Chapman Neill, are saying goodbye to their Oakland admirers this week, as they leave for New York at the conclusion of their San Francisco engagement in "If I Were King." No better roles than they have this week in the Sothern play could have been chosen for their farewell. As Villon, the vagabond, poet and lover, James Neill realizes all of the possibilities of the part. Mrs. Neill plays the Lady Katherine de Vancelles with rare charm and beauty, reading her lines exquisitely and making a stunning picture in her gorgeous robes of the period.

An individual hit is scored by John Ravold, than whom, as the King, Oakland has yet to witness a better actor. Mr. Ravold is the artist to the finger-tips, finished and sincere. Blanche Douglas as Hugette gives a good performance of the Abbess, she who is called the mistress of Villon. She plays with a passion and abandon that raises the audience to a thrilling moment of enthusiasm in her scene in the rose garden. McVicars is a fair Tristan.

"Never has a more gorgeous production been seen on the local stage. Sunday night is the farewell performance and positively the last appearance in Oakland of the Neills.

Next week comes a brilliant comedy, "Christopher Jr.," by Madeline Lucette Riley, with Wayne, Underwood, Bacon, Booth, Ingraham and Elsie Esmond in the cast.

MARRIAGE OF ROYALTY

FIGURES IN SENSATIONAL CASES ARE MADE ONE.

COLOMBO, Ceylon, Dec. 14.—Earl Cowley and Lady Hartopp were married here today.

Lady Hartopp is the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Henry Wilson of Waterpriory, Yorkshire. She and her sisters were remarkable for their beauty.

In April last Lady Hartopp was divorced by Sir Charles after a sensational trial. Earl Cowley was the co-respondent in the case.

Before his accession to the title Earl Cowley, as Viscount Dangan, was the defendant in an action for breach of promise brought by Phyllis Broughton of the Gaiety Theater, London.

In 1889 he married Lady Violet Neville, daughter of the Marquis of Abergavennyo.

Eight years later she obtained a divorce and though she has since married Robert Myddellon-Biddulph, Lady Violet still continues to use the title of Countess Cowley, on the ground that she is the mother of Viscount Dangan, the heir to the title, who is now about 15 years old.

MOTHER SUPERIOR DEAD.

Mother John Baptist, of the Convent of the Holy Names of Jesus and Mary of Portland, and formerly Mother Superior of the Convent of the Sacred Heart of Oakland, died in Portland last Monday. A solemn requiem high mass will be sung for the repose of her soul next Saturday morning at 9:30 o'clock, in the chapel of the Convent of the Sacred Heart. A large number of her former pupils and friends are expected to be present.

TALK ON TEMPERANCE.

Miss Marie C. Brehm, president of the Illinois W. C. T. U., will lecture on "Temperance" at the First M. E. Church this evening. Miss Brehm gave a course of lectures in Oakland four years ago to crowded houses and is considered one of the ablest lecturers of the National W. C. T. U. The public is invited.

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LARGE RECEPTION AT HOME CLUB

MR. AND MRS. F. M. SMITH TO BE HONORED GUESTS FRIDAY EVENING.

The notable event of the week will be the musicale and reception in honor of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Smith, to be given by the Home Club and choir of the First Congregational Church tomorrow evening.

The guests will be received by Mrs. F. M. Smith, honorary president of the Home Club, Miss Caroline Van Dyke, president; Mrs. Alexander Stewart and Mrs. C. R. Brown.

Others included in the receiving party will be Miss Ethel Moore, Mrs. Henry Wetherbee, Mrs. John Yule, Mrs. T. C. Coogan, Mrs. Franklin Bangs, Mrs. Harry Dumont, Mrs. George B. M. Gray, Mrs. Q. A. Chase, Mrs. James A. Johnson, Miss Carrie Goodhue, Mrs. Granville Shuey, Mrs. S. J. Taylor, Mrs. Edgar L. Dow, Miss Sarah Horton, Mrs. Irving Lewis, Mrs. C. B. Parcells, Miss Mabel Gray, Miss Margaret Knox, Mrs. B. F. Weston, Mrs. Bernard Miller, Mrs. G. E. Brinckerhoff, Mrs. J. R. Burnham, Miss Marion Goodfellow, Miss Evelyn Ellis.

The following program is announced, under the direction of Alexander Stewart, with Miss Virginie de Fremery as accompanist:

1. Chorus—Land-Sighting ......Grieg
   (Baritone solo, Mr. Oksen)
2. Tenor solo—Love's Rhapsody..... ....Bartlett
   Mr. Chester Rosekrans
3. Quartet—(a) Serenade....Schubert
   (b) Would You..........
   Mrs. Grace Davis Northrup
   Mrs. Carroll Nicholson
   Mr. Chester Rosekrans
   Mr. Walter E. Nicholson
4. Baritone solo—The Quaker.......
   Mr. Oksen
5. (a) Who Shall Be Fleetest, from "Rebekah".....Joseph Barnby
   Soprano solo (Mrs. Northrup) and chorus of women's voices
   (b) Lullaby of Life....Henry Leslie
   (c) The Miller's Wooing........... ....Eaton Faning
   (Chorus)
6. Violin solo—
   (a) Obertass..........Wieniawski
   (b) Humoreske ....Dverak
   Miss Helen Sutphen
7. In Shady Retreat, from "Lakme".. ....Delibes
   (Duo for soprano and contralto)
   Mrs. Grace Davis Northrup
   Mrs. Carroll Nicholson
8. Sextette from "Lucia".....Donizetti
   (Soloists and chorus)

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HONEYMOON TRIP.

Mr. and Mrs. James M. Spalding (nee Lacy), whose wedding was an event of last week, are enjoying their honeymoon trip in oLs Angeles, but will return here in a day or two, since they expect to sail Saturday for their home in the Hawaiian Islands.

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LUNCHEON GUESTS.

Miss Anita Thomson will entertain on Saturday at a luncheon for Miss Van Sicklen, of Burlington, Vt. Miss Van Sicklen is a school friend of Miss Thomson, and is at present the guest of her cousin, Miss Hilda Van Sicklen, of Alameda. A matinee party will follow the luncheon.

The invited guests, all members of the younger set, will include Miss Van Sicklen, Miss Hilda Van Sicklen, Miss Noelle de Golia, Miss Katherine Keely, Miss Sevilla Hayden, Miss Gladys Meek, Miss Charlotte Hall, Miss Louise Hall, Miss Gertrude Russell, Miss Helen Dornin, Miss Edna Prather, Miss Beulah Brigham, Miss Katherine Brown, Miss Ruth Houghton and Miss Elsa Schilling.

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SKATING PARTIES.

Society on this side of the bay is enjoying the skating craze, and several parties are to be seen afternoons and evenings at the Oakland and Berkeley rinks. Among those who skate well are Mr. and Mrs. George W. McNear Jr., Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Johnson, Miss Arline Johnson, Miss Evelyn Hussey, Miss Gertrude Russell, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Walker, Miss Gertrude Gould, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Egbert, Miss Viva Nicholson, the Misses Downey, Miss Chickering, Miss Everson, Mr. and Mrs. George Humphrey, Miss Eva Yorker, Mrs. A. R. Dabney, Miss Clara Dabney and many others.

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CHRISTMAS TREE.

The annual Christmas tree and entertainment of the East Oakland Free Kindergarten will be held tomorrow afternoon, Friday, December [illegible], at [illegible] o'clock at the kindergarten rooms, corner of East Fourteenth street and Fifteenth avenue. The entertainment is given a week earlier this year than formerly, owing to the fact that the kindergarten closes at the same time as the public schools. All those who are interested in the work are invited to attend.

WEDDINGS AND MANY OTHER EVENTS

SEVERAL HOSTESSES ARE PLANNING DELIGHTFUL AFFAIRS THIS WEEK.

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KEHOE-CAMPBELL.

A recent wedding of interest was that of Miss Mary Kehoe and Donald E. Campbell, which took place at St. Francis de Sales Church, Rev. Father McSweeney officiating, assisted by Father Grogan, Father Cantwell and Father Cranwell.

The bride wore a gown of white messaline, heavily embroidered, and a white picture hat. She carried a white prayer-book, the gift of the groom's grandmother.

The maid of honor, Miss Kehoe, wore a gown of white mousseline de sole, with picture hat to match.

Louis P. Snaer attended the groom, and the bride was given away by her brother, Christopher Kehoe.

After the pretty ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's mother, on Twentieth street, and an elaborate wedding breakfast was served.

After a three weeks' honeymoon spent in the South, Mr. and Mrs. Campbell will occupy their new home in this city.

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NEW YEAR'S PARTY.

Mrs. M. J. Laymance is planning an elaborate New Year's party and masquerade to be given on New Year's eve at their attractive home on Fifth avenue, East Oakland.

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AT LUNCHEON.

Mrs. F. W. Bradley was hostess yesterday at a luncheon given in the Palm Garden of the Palace Hotel. The honored guest was Mrs. Arthur Rickard of Berkeley, and among those asked to meet the favored guest were Mrs. Mark Requa, Mrs. B. M. Belshaw, Mrs. William Ade, Mrs. J. H. McKenzie, Mrs. Braden, of Denver, Colo., Mrs. Herbert E. Lair, Mrs. Charles Wingate, Mrs. S. B. Christy, Mrs. E. F. Card, Mrs. John S. Davis, Mrs. Joseph B. Lindley and Miss Lillie Callaghan.

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HOME WEDDING.

The marriage of Miss Mabel Rogers and Harry Buckley took place Tuesday evening at the home of the bride. The Rev. Mr. Hobart of Calvary Baptist church performed the ceremony under a bower of smilax and roses.

The bride wore no veil, but a wreath of real orange blossoms adorned her hair. Her gown was white silk trimmed with duchesse lace, and she carried a bouquet of bride roses. Miss Florence Page, gowned in pink silk, and carrying pink carnations, was the only attendant.

The groom was attended by Claude Gardner.

After a short honeymoon Mr. and Mrs. Buckley will occupy their pretty little home at Fifty-first and Grove streets.

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AT THE TEA.

Among the guests yesterday at the tea given by Miss Ethel Crellin for Miss Downey and Miss Goodfellow were Miss May Coogan, Miss Lillian Downey, Miss Mary Downey, Mrs. Thomas Crellin, Mrs. E. B. Beck, Mrs. S. P. Hall, Miss Catherine Allen, Miss Bessie Reed, Miss Emily Chickering, Miss Edith Beck, Miss Elsie Everson, Miss Palmanteer, Miss Lucretia Burnham, Miss Irene Bangs, Miss Hall, Mrs. John J. Valentine, Mrs. Robert M. Fitzgerald, Miss Emma Mahony, Mrs. Morgan, Mrs. Sam Bell Wakefield, Mrs. Alexander H. Marx, Mrs. George Hammer, Mrs. Arthur Tashelra, Mrs. Thomas Pheby, Mrs. Walter Hughes Henry, Mrs. Walter Starr, Mrs. James G. Allen, Mrs. Robert [illegible], Mrs. John Henry [illegible] [illegible] line Brown, Miss Edna Prather, Miss Anita Thomson, Miss Seville Hayden, Mrs. Wigginton Creed, Mrs. M. E. Davidson, Mrs. Charles T. Walkley, Miss Gladys Meek, Miss Clarisse Lohse, Mrs. Montel Taylor, Mrs. David McClure Gregory, Miss Palmer, Miss Louise Hall and many others.

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AT HOME.

Mrs. Thomas Rickard of Berkeley will entertain tomorow for Mrs. Arthur Rickard who has just come from New York to make her permanent home here.

Assisting Mrs. Rickard in receiving will be Mrs. Benjamin Ide Wheeler, Mrs. Edward Clapp, Mrs. Sedrick Perry, Mrs. Armand Loerschner, Mrs. Richard J. Jennings, Mrs. Thomas Addison, Mrs. F. L. Lipman, Mrs. Charles Biedenbach, Mrs. Albert M. Sutton, Miss Ida Wickson, Miss Gladys Wickson, Miss Erwina Smith, Miss Mary Radcliffe and Miss Harvey Anthony.

A little coterie of younger maids are to assist in the dining-room, including Miss Leontine Rickard, Miss Dorothy Irwin, Miss Else Schilling, of Berkeley; Miss Edith Clapp, Miss Dora Haven and Miss Ethel Merrill.

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DINNER-DANCE.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew L. Stone are planning one of the elaborate events of the month, a dinner-dance to be given Thursday, December 26, at the Claremont Country Club.

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PERSONALS.

Mrs. Chabot and Mrs. Dick[illegible] have gone to Burke's Sanitarium for awhile where it is hoped Mrs. Chabot will fully regain her former health.

The friends of George Chase will learn with regret that he is suffering from appendicitis.

T. G. Harrison was a recent visitor in Oroville.

Miss McClure is visiting Mrs. J. [illegible] Peters of Stockton.

Mrs. Lee Chamberlain of this city was visiting friends in [illegible] last week.

Mrs. T. M. Goodwin was a [illegible] guest at [illegible] Richmond.

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Party Promoting in Kern County

Two enterprising political promoters of Bakersfield, J. P. Fox and W. D. Young, have communed with themselves and each other, after the manner of the three tailors of Tooley street, and have agreed, one for both and both for one, that the time has arrived for them to take charge of the affairs of the Nation. They are convinced that all the political parties in existence are unequal to their opportunities and recreant to their duty to the people. They have accordingly resolved to establish a new party that will pay proper respect to the rights and wishes of the People and to the statesmanship and political genius of J. P. Fox and W. D. Young. Which will be Commander of the Faithful and which Grand Vizier will not be determined till the new dispensation goes into effect and the reins of government are turned over to the two gentlemen who modestly declare themselves as alone being qualified to drive the chariot of true democracy. An equitable division of the loaves and fishes and cares of office will be effected only after the spoil has been brought into camp. In the meantime Messrs Fox and Young are promoting between drinks and calling on the world to witness that they have started a political movement that is spreading like a prairie fire.

But the Republican and Democratic statesmen at Washington are going ahead steering the ship of state in the same old way, oblivious of impending danger and serenely ignorant of the fact that, not one, but two Messiahs have come to the front in Kern county to put them all out of business and do things on a perfectly right and proper plan. Congressman Smith, who lives in Bakersfield whenever he can't draw a salary for living somewhere else, appears to be blind to the political portents of his own bailiwick. He is paying no more attention to Messrs. Fox and Young than if they were white chips on the layout. If he could only hear one of them hand out the true dope he would sadly realize that in a short time he will be hustling for a job baling hay or ferrying bricks in a wheelbarrow.

Messrs. Fox and Young have decided to make National ownership of railroads and public ownership of municipal utilities the fundamental principle of their new party, which is at present composed of Fox, Young and The People. They have come to the conclusion that "the railroad situation in this country is intolerable." At least they say so in a call for a mass convention which they are circulating for signatures. The convention is slated to assemble at the Kern county courthouse on December 23d, to then and there, so the call avers, initiate a National Political Party. It is dead easy. In the vernacular of the paddock "there's nothing to it."

Private ownership is declared by the call to be the father of all evils. On the other hand, public ownership, it is asserted, will create a political millenuium.

"Rate regulation of railroads by commission does not go far enough to attain the end sought;

"Rate regulation is but a temporary expedient and a half-way measure at best, and will lead to greater troubles and difficulties only. Costly and harrassing litigation will result; but no benefit to the people;

"Rate regulation will result in the continued existence of the fact stated recently by the President of the United States that 'the successful prosecution of one device to evade the law immediately develops another device for the accomplishment of the same purpose.' Hence, it will have no effect in destroying the trusts, or in securing just regulation of the railroads;

"Rate regulation will make the political boss more powerful, by increasing the necessity for his services;

"Rate regulation will leave the public safety as now, dependent upon the money price of life and limb, a price fixed by the lowest figure of unwilling damages."

We advise all the political astronomers to be on the lookout for the Star of Bethlehem hanging over Bakersfield on December 23d. Colonel Tim Spellacy, the hitherto hopeful and undaunted leader of the Unterrified Democracy, may be expected to take to the woods on that occasion, when the People, with J. P. Fox and W. D. Young holding down the band wagon, will come into possession of the works. There will be something doing in fusel oil, if nothing else, and the two-bit hash-houses will probably have a few extra patrons.

Professor Howison is at last getting his deserts The club women have got into his hair, and are giving him the time of his life. A witty Frenchman once said that the more he saw of men the better he liked dogs. The more Professor Howison hears from the club ladies the more convinced he will probably be that cats have souls.

Leader John Sharp Williams objects to washing Democratic linen for the amusement of Republicans. The laundry operation was always distasteful to the Great Unwashed.

A Chicago girl was shot by a man who grew tired of her. And now while the doctors are trying to prolong her life she declares if she gets well she will marry the man who shot her. The punishment will fit the crime.

The Revolt of Lithuania

The Russian empire is now threatened with dismemberment. Poland is clamoring for autonomy, if not national independence, and seems prepared to fight for it, and the Baltic provinces, according to the dispatches from Riga, have thrown off the imperial yoke altogether and established a provisional government. Riga is the ancient capital of Livonia and is the greatest maritime city in Northern Russia. It is the commercial and political center of Livonia, Courland and Esthonia, which comprise the former principality of Lithuania. The inhabitants are mainly of Teutonic stock, the Scandinavian blood predominating.

Formerly the Baltic provinces, including Finland, were fiefs of the Swedish crown, but passed under the domnion of Russia as a result of the crushing of the Swedish power by Peter the Great.

So long as the Livonians and Courlanders were permitted to retain their local laws and institutions and given a reasonable latitude for industrial and commercial development they prospered and were fairly content under the rule of the Czar.

But of late years they have been harassed and roused to bitter antagonism by the Russification policy which found such a strenuous protagonist in M. Pobiedonostseff, late Procurator of the Holy Synod of the Orthodox Church.

One by one the Lithuanians were deprived of their ancient liberties, and year by year the hand of the Czar weighed more heavily on their commerce and racial and religious sentiments. The remorseless attempt to crush out Protestantism and Catholicism, as well as race feeling, and make the inhabitants orthodox Russians has at last borne its bitter fruit of hatred and revolt. It is extremely doubtful, however, if the Baltic provinces can maintain their independence. They cannot look to Germany for help. Sweden and Denmark are powerless, and the bondholders of Russia in the capitals of Europe will exert an enormous influence in preventing any interposition in their behalf.

If the Poles and the Finns should unite with the Lithuanians a formidable head could be made against the imperial power, but the elements are too discordant to unite. The presence of a considerable minority of Russians must also be reckoned with, and the people are mostly unarmed and defenseless. No favorable outcome for a war of independence could therefore be predicted.

In the Mayoralty case the New York Court of Appeals has sustained the opinion of Attorney Alton B. Parker by overruling the decision of Judge Alton B. Parker. The late Democratic candidate for President would therefore appear to be safer as counsel than as judge. The court's ruling practically renders it impossible for William R. Hearst to prove by a recount of the ballots that he was defrauded out of an office to which he was fairly elected. Hearst will continue the fight to the last gasp, however, for the purpose of showing up the infamous methods employed to count him out at the election and the subsequent legal trickery resorted to to prevent the result of a dishonest count being overturned.

San Jose has just voted a $355,000 bond issue for public improvements, parks, sewers, etc. San Jose has about one-fourth the population of Oakland, and not a fraction of Oakland's commercial and industrial opportunities, but the inhabitants of that city are not afraid to spend money to improve their town. A proportionate bond issue in Oakland would call for an expenditure of $1,420,000. That amount wisely expended in this city would work a transformation in its aspect. Can't the citizens of Oakland get together on some plan of municipal adornment and carry it out without bickering or further delay?

Says the Springfield Republican: "A storm in the Senate is threatened over the nomination of Mr. Lane of California, a Roosevelt Democrat, to the Interstate Commerce Commission, according to some reports. Possibly the Senate, on both its honorable sides, has a suspicion that it is being monkeyed with."

Mr. Lane was a Cleveland Democrat, who became a Bryan Democrat and was lastly a Parker Democrat. In San Francisco politics he is, or was, a McNab Democrat. He has always been for the old flag and an office.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

A diplomat's jawbone is mightier than his sword.

Memory is a Nemesis that is constantly on our trail.

Cyclones will never break into the "popular air" class.

Beware of him who finds it necessary to boast of his honesty.

He who marries well marries neither his inferior nor superior.

A diet of pleasure is apt to result in a bad case of moral dyspepsia.

There are men, manly men and gentlemen. In which class are you?

Much of the bitterness of life comes from swallowing one's own words.

The girl who dislikes the odor of tobacco should never choose a man who chews.

When words fail to express a woman's contempt for a man he enjoys a moment's peace.

There is nothing better than a cheap phonograph for starting undesirable callers on the homeward path.

Between two dangers choose the least. That is why so many young men enlist in the army instead of getting married.—Chicago News.

TO THE BISHOP'S TASTE.

The late Bishop Green on one of his diocesan visitations stopped with an old friend at Sewanee, Tenn.

At the early supper of the South, always an informal meal, the bishop said would have nothing but a dish of bonnyclabber, a little nutmeg sprinkled over it.

"There ain't a bit of nutmeg in the house," exclaimed the maid when the request was repeated to her.

"Dear me," said the hostess, sotto voce; "go to Mrs. Darling's next door and ask her to lend me a nutmeg."

Mrs. Darling also was "out" of nutmeg.

"Then go to Mrs. Harding, on the other side; we can't all be out at once; then bring the bishop the dish quickly."

The hostess kept up a rapid fire of bright talk to cover the hiatus in the service until the maid appeared with the desired dish.

"What an addition is the little sprinkle of nutmeg," said the bishop; "what a fine relish it gives."

When the good guest had retired the mistress said to the maid:

"Go to the supply store the first thing in the morning and get nutmegs, and return the nutmeg to Mrs. Harding, and—"

"But Mrs Harding was out of nutmeg, too.'

"Then where did you get any?"

"La, miss, I was dat worried out dat I des tuck a wooden handle to a ole shoe-buttoner an' grated it on."—Lippincott's.

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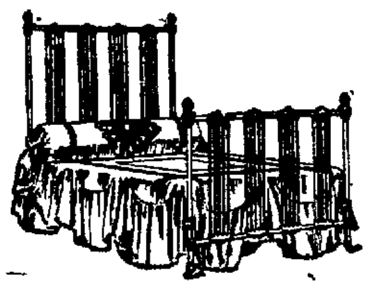

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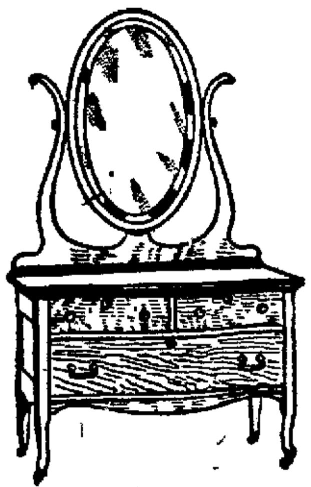

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After a series of thrilling experiences he returned to the earth safely three miles from where he started on his trip in a machine which never had been tested before. His flight was over Grand Crossing and was witnessed by hundreds of spectators.

The trip through the air at the height of half a mile was made under difficulty. Wild's greatest peril was the danger of losing his hold on the machine on account of the cold. Twice his numb fingers slipped from their grasp of the frame of the ship and twice he caught himself by hooking his heels into a groove in the cross-beams.

The trip was made after several attempts covering a period of three weeks. When the big airship sailed away the crowds cheered and Wild waved his hand gleefully.

For a time all went well, the dirigible machine moving to the south smoothly. Then the engine operating the propeller stopped because the supply of gasoline was exhausted. With that came to the airship man the realization that he was going higher and higher and had no means of propelling the ship in the direction of the earth. Wild, in a frantic endeavor to escape destruction, climbed into the network of the gas-filled bag above him and holding on with the fingers of one hand, almost frozen, with his teeth unfastened the cord that held the escape valve, permitting the gas to escape in sufficient quantities to allow his floating to the ground.

The pulling down of the airship by its trail rope was accomplished by two women and a boy with the greatest difficulty and at great personal risk, for several parts of the machinery became detached and their falling to the ground so lightened the balloon that it struggled with renewed energy to escape into the clouds. If it had escaped from the rescuers, Wild's death would have been certain as he would have been carried out into the the lake.

WILL LEGISLATE ON INSURANCE

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—The Times today says:

Information reached New York yesterday that President Roosevelt will probably send a special message to Congress asking for legislation designed to cover illicit transactions in the insurance business. The message, according to the present program, will deal only with insurance matters in the District of Columbia, over which Congress has jurisdiction. The President, it is said, desires to set an object lesson by recommending legislation for the District of Columbia which may be considered by the State Legislatures.

Closely related to this subject will be a meeting of Governors, State Insurance Commissioners and Attorneys-General of the various States in Chicago on February 1, to formulate recommendations to be made to the President.

Zeno Host, Insurance Commissioner of the State of Wisconsin, was in New York yesterday after having participated with four other State insurance commissioners in a conference with the President at Washington, in the course of which Mr. Roosevelt expressed his hearty sympathy with any movement which looked to legislation for insurance reform.

Commissioner Host said that the President agreed that the plan to communicate with the Governors, Attorneys-General and Insurance Commissioners of the States for a general conference was a good one. In accordance with this plan a letter will be sent to all these officials inviting them to the Chicago conference. In the meantime the national convention of State Insurance Commissioners will be asked for its views.

The result of the Chicago conference will be sent to the President with the recommendation that if he deems it expedient he should communicate with Congress on the subject. Commissioner Host has been engaged during the past year in investigating the New York Life Insurance Company in the State of Wisconsin. The results of his investigation he laid unofficially before the President.

MESSIAH HOME FOR CHILDREN

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—Soil has been broken in the Bronx for the erection of a building for the use of the Messiah Home for Little Children. The building will be erected by Henry H. Rogers, vice-president of the Standard Oil Company. The cost, it is said, will be $300,000.

Mrs. H. H. Rogers is president of the Messiah Home for Little Children and devotes much time to the work. The instution was founded in 1885 for the temporary relief of working mothers and the care of girls under 12 and boys under 8. The last annual report showed that forty-four children were in the institution.

MASTER IN HOSPITAL.

VICTORIA, B. C., Dec. 14.—The steamer Hounslow, which sailed today under charter to the Mexican Government to run in connection with the Tehuantepec Railway, left her master, Captain Ashmead, in a hospital here suffering from a broken ankle. The chief officer of the Twickenham, loading on Puget Sound, replaced him.

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TURF TALES AND REAL RACING NEWS

Jack Crane's shifty mare, Isabellita, captured the first race at Ingleside yesterday, winning in a common canter from Iras. Expedient made the best showing he has made thus for this season and got the show.

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It was merely an exercise gallop for Grasscutter to win the 2-year-old event. She was away nicely and came home by herself. Avonalis, the second choice, got the place from the fast-tiring Succeed.

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Keene sprung a new one when Clandestine won the third race. He was nearly backed off the boards, closing favorite at 8 to 5. Starter Holtman had much trouble at the post, and after a delay of fifteen minutes sent them off to a good start. Jake Ward was prominent throughout, but could do no better than get th eplace from The Roustabout, who closed very strong.

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Another Eastern crack had his reputation shatered when Grazialio, th eodds-on choice, was beaten in the Midlothian handicap. There was some good ones in the race, and Callaghan made a show of his field by winning under double wraps. The colt never left the issue in doubt from the start and spreadeagle his field. The $10,000 wonder tired after chasing the winner and lost second position to Kightful. Lubin ran a good race and finished fourth.

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C. C. McCafferty was there with the halter in trying to grab Toupee, the winner of the fifth. He was successful, and took away the gelding for $1800. Instructor, one of the outsiders, downed Mafalda for the place.

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Bannock Belle was far the best in the sixth and won in a canter. Jackfull made up ground and took place money from the outsider—Ethel Abbott.

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R. E. Watkins formerly lodged a protest with the officials of the City Park tract against Jockey J. Jones. Watkins claims that before shipping his stable of thirty odd horses to New Orleans he entered into a verbal agreement with T. Healey whereby he was to have the services of Jones this winter. With this understanding Watkins made no further provision for a rider. When Jones arrived at New Orleans Watkins had made several engagements for him at the old track, but the boy refused to keep them. Instead he went over to City Park and entered the services of Robert Smith, who is racing a string at that track.

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According to a Philadelphia exchange, a Mr. Jones, father of Jockey Jakie Jones, who died last week in that that city, was buried in the potters' field.

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The Pacific Union Club handicap will be the star attraction at Ingleside Saturday.

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Del Fountain bought David Boland and Birdie P. Terms private.

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The Fasig-Tipton Company's sale began at Lexington, Ky., yesterday. All the horses belonging to Major B. G. Thomas and Colonel W. L. Simmons were sold. One hundred and six head brought $22,325.

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The remains of Jockey Danny Maher's father were interred yesterday. He died Saturday.

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The funeral of Captain Samuel Brown was held at his late residence at 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

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Starter Jake Holtman finds great amusement in the game of handball, and the spectators who gather around the Olympic Club court to see Jake hit the little round ball say he is a hard nut to crack.

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Ram's Horn, one of the best of the all-aged division at the old track at New Orleans is on the ailing list. He has a sore back and will probably have to be thrown out of training for a couple of weeks.

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Tom Mannix's good two-year-old, Disobedient, has developed fever since his arival at New Orleans. A number of horses which came on from the East are coughing, owing to the chance in climate during the past few days.

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"The promoters of racing at Houston and San Antonio were surprised at the good results," said M. N. Macfarlan on his return to Memphis after his period as judge at these Texas meeting. "I look to see good meetings and valuable opportunities for horsemen in the State in the future."

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Will Wallace arrived at Memphis from Bennings with Our Sister and five yearlings. He has gone into winter quarters at Montgomery Park and will begin the campaign of 1906 next spring at the Washington track.

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Jockey Radtke is in recept of a handsome floral horseshoe, sent to him from Latonia by Grant Clifford, a prominent Kentucky breeder.

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J. J. Walsh, a competent lightweight who rode with considerable success in the East last season, arrived from Bennings yesterday. Walsh is described as a good post rider and a vigorous finisher.

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Ike Hakelberg, a member of the governing board of the Metropolitan Turf Association, is here on his annual vacation.

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A. R. Dimond, president of the Multonomah Fair Asesociation, Portland, Ore., was a visitor at the track. Whether or not there will be racing at Portland next year is still in the balance, Mr. Diamond states.

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The following are the probable starters for the rich fixture, the Pacific Union Handicap, for two-year-olds, to be run on Saturday. It is the first time the youngsters have been asked to go a mile. The value of the stake, to the winner, will be over $3000:

Agnolo	106
Rey del Mundo	107
Sir Wilfred	118
Tenordale	99
Boloman	101
Charlatan	108
Sufficiency	115
W. H. Carey	106
Confederate	115
Nagazam	108
Mandator	104
Avonella	102
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IRA "SLATS" DAVIS HAS FORMED A BASEBALL CLUB

BAKERSFIELD, Dec. 12.—Ira "Slats" Davis, who was attacked by members of the Los Angeles team while umpiring a game in that city recently, will winter in Bakersfield. He has accepted a position with Silverwood's department store here and on behalf of Harry Thomas has organized a baseball team, to be called the Del Montes, and "Slats" will be captain and play first base. He secured a pretty fair line-up from professional and amateur players who make their home in Bakersfield. Tom Harrell, formerly of Merced, Tom Burke of Los Angeles, Charles Bustilos, Harry McCue, a machinist, who played with Sacramento recently; William Hogan, who played with Oakland all last season; Busher Charles Day and Hutchinson, a veteran of St. Louis Browns fame, have been signed by Davis.

BEARCATCHER VS. CRUZADOS

The racing public will have a chance to see two of the fastest sprinters now running in America hook up at Ingleside next Saturday. The suggestion made to give a special between Bearcatcher and Cruzados has been acted upon by the California Jockey Club. Horace Egbert, clerk of the scales and handicapper, had a talk with both trainers and both agreed to run at five and a half furlongs. President Thomas H. Williams was consulted and announced the willingness of the California Jockey Club to give a purse of $1500, winner to take all. This is satisfactory to every one concerned and a record-breaking crowd will be at Ingleside if the present good weather continues. It was originally intended to race at six furlongs, but, as the track at Ingleside is much slower than Oakland, Tom Cooke, trainer of Cruzados, held out for five and a half furlongs. Garnett Ferguson favored six furlongs, but he said he was willing to race Cruzados at five and a half furlongs, and furthermore stated that he would agree to any weight arrangement. The horses are to carry 112 pounds each in the race.

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GOOD FIGHTS FOR NEXT TUESDAY NIGHT

The West Oakland's card of boxing bouts, which takes place next Tuesday evening, is attracting a great deal of attention and no doubt a large crowd will be on hand to witness the goes. The club offers a card of seven four-round bouts this month, and as the contestants are evenly matched, some rare sport should be seen.

The first go brings out young Spider Kelley and Ed Case, both of Oakland. Both lads are fast and shifty, and as they are the same style of fighters, a hot go can be looked for.

Kid Franks, of West Oakland, and Kid Bell, of Sacramento, clash in the next go. Franks, who is better known as the "Rat," has had several bouts at the club.

His opponent, Bell, is a good one, and is working out with Denver Ed Martin and getting into excellent trim. He is a very fast and clever lad and should give the "Rat" the hardest bout he has ever had.

Kid Gallagher and Jim Alexander, both of the Oakland Traction Club, come together in the next bout. These two men weigh in at 160 pounds and as they are anxious to get at each other, a fine and fast go should be in order.

Kid Honolulu and Ed Weber come together in the next bout and as they have a long standing argument to settle, something will be doing.

Jack Reilly and Ed Monoghan meet in the next bout. Reilly is a very fast and clever boxer, and has as yet to be defeated. His opponent is the best man at his weight in the S. F. A. C., and he thinks he can beat Reilly.

The next bout brings on Tom Taylor of Fruitvale Athletic Club and Frank Meji of San Pablo; weight 118 pounds.

Young Jeffries of Hawthorne club and Joe Padini, of S. F. A. C. come together in the last go. These two are "bad friends," as as they are anxious to see which is the better man, a good fight can be expected. They have had experience in the ring and know the fine points of the game.

ROBERT FITZSIMMONS IS DOING WORK IN PRIVATE

After conditioning himself for prizefights for twenty-nine years, Robert Fitzsimmons, the veteran marvel of the ring, announces that he will on next Sunday afternoon do the last training act of his life. It will also be the windup of his preparatory work for his battle with Jack O'Brien. Whether he is returned a victor or numbered with the vanquished on the night of the 20t inst., Battling Bob says that never again will he reel off miles on the road and wade into sparring mates and punching bags for the purpose of equipping his freaky frame to withstand a fistic onslaught and batter down an opponent.

Fitzsimmons has already labored for a month at Croll's Garden, in Alameda, getting into trim for the coming mill, and that he has worked hard and conscientiously no one who has witnessed his training will gainsay. Ten, twelve, sixteen and eighteen rounds with the bag and boxing partners have been gone through daily by old Bob, in addition to spins of eight, ten and twelve miles on the beautiful avenues of Alameda. Yesterday Fitz made use of an electric car on Santa Clara avenue as a pace setter, and with Billy Bates he raced alongside of the big vehicle from the West End to Park street. After sending a few telegrams Fitz returned over the same route, and upon arriving at his training quarters was rubbed down. Today and tomorrow Fitz' gymnasium work in the afternoon will be done in private, and all visitors with the exception of representatives of the press will be excluded. On Saturday Fitz will resume training in public, and on Sunday his admirers will have the last opportunity to see him spar and punch the bag. Manager Loen Friedman states that Fitzsimmons will complete his work Sunday, and that on Tuesday he will go to San Francisco to await the clang of the gong on Wednesday night. Bob's seconds have not yet been definitely decided upon.

DECLARES ALBION ROVERS MUST MAKE AN APOLOGY

Unless the Albion Rovers make formal apology to Referee Harry Roberts for their sensational charges of cheating in his decisions in recent association football games, the team will be thrown out of the Association Football League, as no referees will officiate at games in which it plays.

This was the decision reached Tuesday night at the meeting of the California Association Football League at Foresters' Hall, on O'Farrell street, San Francisco. A communication was received from the Referees' Union, which demanded that an apology be exacted from the rebellious team. The league supported the stand taken by the referees, and ordered the Albion Rovers to make their apology before December 31, or suffer the penalty of being denied any further games with any other members of the league.

The trouble which has brought about this complication followed the game three weeks ago at Alameda between the Vampires and Albion Rovers. The Vampires were given the decision by Referee Roberts, and the outcome aroused intense indignation on the part of the defeated team.

President William R. Stewart and Secretary Jesse Moore of the Rovers on separate occasions took it upon themselves to formally accuse Roberts to his face of having cheated and thrown the game to the Vampires. Roberts reported the insult to the Referee's Union, and the action last night came in due time.

The Albion Rovers have also had another grievance over the result of the game played by them last Sunday against the Hornets at the latter's new grounds. Instead of James Frew, the regular referee, officiating, a novice, J. Dick, was substituted, and the decisions he gave were far from satisfactory. The Albion Rovers lost the match and were so disgruntled that they threatened to withdraw from the league unless the game was played over. This would have been impossible, according to the rules of the league, had not the Hornets, with good sportsmanship, cheerfully acquiesced. This decision on the part of the winning team was announced officially at the meeting last night.

TERRY AND "BAT" IN BIG WRANGLE

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 14.—The Battling Nelson-Terry McGovern fight here is off, so far as Bob Deady, the promoter of the affair, is concerned. He is disgusted with the wrangle over the division of the money and has decided to drop the match. After virtually signing the fighters for seventy-five per cent he was forced to raise this to eighty per cent. Then the managers of the men locked horns over the division of the money and are still wrangling. Deady is out more than $1000 for hall rent and advertising. Other offers for the match are pouring in, one club offering eighty per cent with the moving-picture privileges.

MANY SEEKING A FIGHT WITH HIM

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—Manager Skirboll, of the Nonpareil A. C. of Sharon, Pa., who expects to match Tommy Murphy with some good man before his club in January, is deluged with applications from boxers who aspire to meet the little Harlem featherweight. Among those who have asked for the chance to put on gloves with Murphy are Abe Attell, Benny Yanger, Austin Rice, Tony Bender and Tommy Love. The club expects to hold two bouts a month, beginning in January. Benny Yanger and George Decker, both of Chicago, are carded for a meeting before the Nonpareil Club on [illegible]

BEARCATCHER AND JOCKEY M'BRIDE UP

Bearcatcher, the speed marvel from Garnet Ferguson's stable, is to meet E. J. Baldwin's crack sprinter Cruzados in a match race on Saturday. The distance is five and one-half furlongs and the winner will receive a purse of $1500 offered by President Tom Williams. That it will be one of the greatest races ever seen here goes without saying, as the last performances of both the contestants stamped them as speed burners whose equals cannot be found around these parts. Bearcatcher will have Jockey McBride in the saddle and will no doubt be favorite, but at that distance the clever son of Emperor of Norfolk with Radtke up can be looked upon to give the mighty son of St. George a keen argument.

REVISE FOOTBALL FOR SMALL BOYS

CHICAGO, Dec. 14.—The South Park Commissioners yesterday in regular meeting voted unanimously to instruct their athletic instructor to draw up rules for the game of football so that the young and untrained little boys as well as older boys can play it without peril to life or limb.

The board declared that it was determined to supervise the games played in the parks and have them conducted as it finally should determine, regardless of what any college conference or rules committee should do. It was determined that the "good points of the sturdy game should be retained."

There are nine gridirons in the big parks under the board's supervision. On the gridirons in Washington and Jackson Parks many of the games played by teams of the South High Schools are fought out. It may be said that all the practice work is done on the park grounds. In addition, the scores of neighborhood "teams" take their turns on the public gridirons.

LEWIS TO FIGHT MR. FITZGERALD

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—Willie Lewis and Willie Fitzgerald, the two clever local boys, have been matched to meet at the Colma Club in San Francisco on January 10. The boys are to go twenty-five rounds at 133 pounds, weigh in at 6 o'clock the night of the battle. Both are practically ready now and it should be a [illegible]

EWING MAY SELL TEAM TO SACRAMENTO PEOPLE

(Special to TRIBUNE.)

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 14.—J. Cal Ewing, proprietor of the Oakland Pacific Coast League baseball team, is satisfied that Sacramento will have a team in the Pacific Coast State League of next season. There is but one condition attached. The business men and merchants and others interested in the proposition must organize the team and select their manager. The latter must be an outside man, not a resident of Sacramento. He is to be engaged and discharged at the pleasure of the directors, who must become identified with the Sacramento league team prior to January 1.

Sacramento has more than one formidable rival willing to supply the fourth team in the California subdivision of the Coast League. San Jose is making an effort to furnish a team and grounds that will attract the patronage, and Fresno is not beyond the bound of possibility. Bakersfield business men are likewise making an effort to organize a team, and they are trying to raise a fund to defray the initial expenses.

A compromise plan, involving co-operation between the California teams and those of the Northwest league, is the latest proposal under consideration by the magnates. It is proposed that the California subdivision shall consist of four teams, and that the Northwest division shall be made up of Portland, Seattle, Tacoma and Spokane. At the end of the season there is to be a post series, prolonged during a month, when each of the leagues shall be represented by the two teams having the highest percentages. The team winning the greatest number of games is to be declared champion of the Coast.

HERMANN MAKES GOOD WITH THE FIGHT FANS

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 14.—All who have seen "Kid" Hermann work out at the Pacific Athletic Club Pavilion are of the opinion that Eddie Hanlon will be up against a stiff proposition when he steps into the ring with the Chicago boy next Friday evening for a twenty-round argument with the padded mitts.

Eddie is a hard one to beat, but Hermann has shown himself to be a scrapper with a cool head and a punch that has brought home the money in many a battle. His arms are short, shorter than most boys of his weight, but he wades in and either wins or loses in the first few rounds. Hermann has beaten some of the best in his class, getting the bulge over Charlie Neary after having lost two previous decisions. This shows he is no quitter as Neary is one of the best in the business.

Hanlon is, of course, the favorite in the betting and may be a good bet at that, but the "Kid" will put up an awful fight. There will be a bunch of Chicago money here to wager on Hermann.

Both boys have cut out the boxing and are doing only gymnasium work. Hermann is several pounds under weight and says he never felt better. He will go into the ring weighing about 126, while Hanlon will probably tip the scales at 132. Eddie has been working hard at the beach and is strong and fast. The usual number of visitors has watched Eddie train at the bathhouse.

"Montana Kid" and several ambitious youngsters went several rounds each day with Hermann.

The preliminary between Trimble and Hogan will be a good bout in itself. Trimble has fought some of the best and Hogan hopes to get on in a main bout if he can put Trimble away.

The advance sale of seats has been good, and Manager McCarey looks for another big house.

BOB FITZSIMMONS TO GO ON STAGE

Bob Fitzsimmons, who fights Jack O'Brien next Wednesday night, has signed an engagement with Belasco & Mayer, managers of the Alcazar and Alhambra theaters, to appear at the Alhambra Theater during Christmas week and play the leading role in the drama, "A Fight for Love," in which Fits has toured the country during the past season.

If Fitz succeeds in putting O'Brien out next week he will receive the sum of $25,000 from the Belasco firm, an incentive for the champion to put forth every effort to [illegible] feats O'Brien, with an extra share of the percentage of receipts of the theater.

In addition, Belasco & Mayer will put Fitz out on the road for a season of twelve weeks, guaranteeing him $2000 per week during the tour. In the drama, "A Fight for Love," Fitzsimmons will, in addition to playing the leading role, give an exhibition of boxing and bag-punching, and will also shoe a horse during the play.

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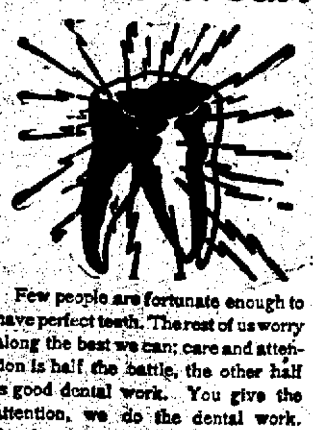

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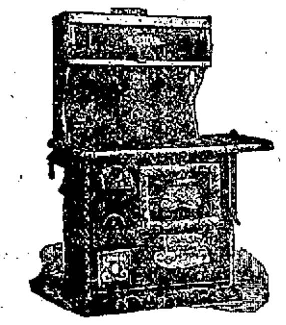

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POINT RICHMOND, Dec. 14.—The Light House Board of the Twelfth Light House district, has issued the following notice to mariners:

"Located in about 9 feet of water on the southerly part of Southampton shoal, northerly part of San Francisco bay, and about 1 5-8 miles southerly of Point Richmond wharf and about 1 5-8 miles northeasterly from Point Campbell, Angel Island.

"About December 28, 1905, a fixed white lens lantern light, illuminating the entire horizon, will be established in the structure recently completed at this station.

"The light will be 52½ feet above the water.

"The approximate geographic position of the light as taken from Chart No. 5532 of the United States Coast and Geodetic Survey, will be: Latitude north 37 degrees 52 minutes (51 seconds); longitude west 122 degrees 24 minutes.

"The structure consists of eleven foundation cylinders carrying a platform supporting a square two story dwelling with a pyramidal roof and dormers, surmounted by a cylindrical lantern. The platform also supports a cistern on the easterly side of the dwelling.

"On the same date there will be established at the station a 3500-pound bell, to be struck by machinery during thick or foggy weather, a double blow at alternate intervals of five seconds and fifteen seconds.

"On the same date, Southampton Shoal gas buoy, moored on the southerly end of Southampton Shoal, northerly part of San Francisco bay, will be permanently discontinued.

"By order of the Light-house Board
"H. T. MAYO,
"Commander, U. S. N., Inspector Twelfth Light-house District."

ROLL OF HONOR.

The following boys and girls of the Richmond schools have not been absent or tardy during the school month ending December 8, and have been excellent in scholarship and deportment:

East Side—Emile Esola, Herbert Schrader, Clinton Walker, Richard Maxwell, Lily Sills, Edna Brightcliffe, Herbert Blake, Harold Bolla, Ivy Lee, Jack Lee, Bessie Fitzgerald, Richard Grub, Dewey Pizotte, Page Harlow, Morris Griffin, Owen Duncan, John Fitzgerald, John Rutherford, Bennie Griffin, Marie Jones, Hazel Nystrom, John Wollenberg, Maurice Shannahan, James Rutherford, Emma Theodore Wood, Joanna Worley, Carl Burly, Lela Follet, Joseph Lee, Ruth Johnson, Earl Follett, Carrie Bedwell, Amelia Muir, Ethel Griffins, Alice Warrillow, Laura Trull, Leonard Walker, Jessie McLain, Ishmael White, Royce Washburn, Helen Wicks, Katie McHugh, Hermine Vogelsang, Ernest O'Brien, Heynes Paulson, Grace Warrillow, Annie Wanske, Nellie McLean, Retta Pellew, Louise Nystrom, Edith Jacobs, Elmo Zumwaldt, Agnes Oppel, Anna Dunnig, Duncan Dunning.

West Side—James McCann, Otis Rashe, Frieda Moyle, John Schrender, Anna Wetterberg, Rita Macari, Lily Axelson, Edith Delp, Fred Westman, Albert Wetterberg, Joda Lamore, Joe Casey, Gregory McHugh, Stanley Dimm, Amelia Harck, Edgar Neville, Jack Parks, Sam Epstein, Clarence Dustehimer, Emmett Coleman, Trannie Freeman, Helen Tilden, Stanley Wunderlich, Stephen Cronin, Maybelle Ehlers, Waverly Tilden, Nettie Whitesides, Anna Axelson, Rena Decker, Wilda Galbraith, Reuben Long, Ethel Bly, Margeurite Butterfield, Violet Holt.

HEALTH BOARD.

The oBard oZf Health held a meetin Roth's Hall Monday evening, all members being present.

The board ordered that hereafter scavenger wagons be covered at all times when on a public street of Richmond and that garbage be dumped without the confines of the municipality. The marshal was instructed to see that this order of the Board be strictly complied with.

The secretary has received a large consignment of vital statistics blanks from the California State Board of Health, and hereafter physicians, midwives, undertakers and others should take notice and secure a supply of these blanks.

After discussing sanitation matters and general health conditions of the town the Board adjourned.

BRIEFLETS.

The lodge of Americans have decided to hold a grand masquerade ball in Maple Hall on New Year's night. Details will be given later.

The A. O. U. W. lodge at San Pablo is moving for consolidation with the lodge in Richmond. This will make the Richmond lodge a strong one.

The Brotherhood of American Yeomen will meet in regular session this evening, and will nominate and elect officers. All members should be present.

Orlin Hudson of San Francisco was in Richmond yesterday, the guest of the family of G. R. Whitesides.

R. H. McFadden, formerly in the real estate business here with George C. Henley, was in town yesterday. He is now located at Halfmoon Bay.

Fireman Tony Cramer and Mrs. Cramer returned this morning from a visit to old friends in Kansas.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. McKinley and daughter, Miss Faustina, returned yetserday from Porterville where they were called last week by the death of Mrs. McKinley's mother.

CLEVER ROBBERY PUZZLE TO POLICE

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—The Detective Bureau last night finished the first twenty-four hours of an unsuccessful investigation into an ingenious $5000 theft that was committed Tuesday afternoon.

Designed for Miss Frances E. Fitz, a wealthy mining woman of Alaska, a wild silver fox muff and stole and other furs were ordered to be delivered at the Hotel Martha Washington Tuesday by a mercantile establishment. The delivery wagon was met at the threshhold of the hotel by a man in uniform, pretending to be connected with the establishment.

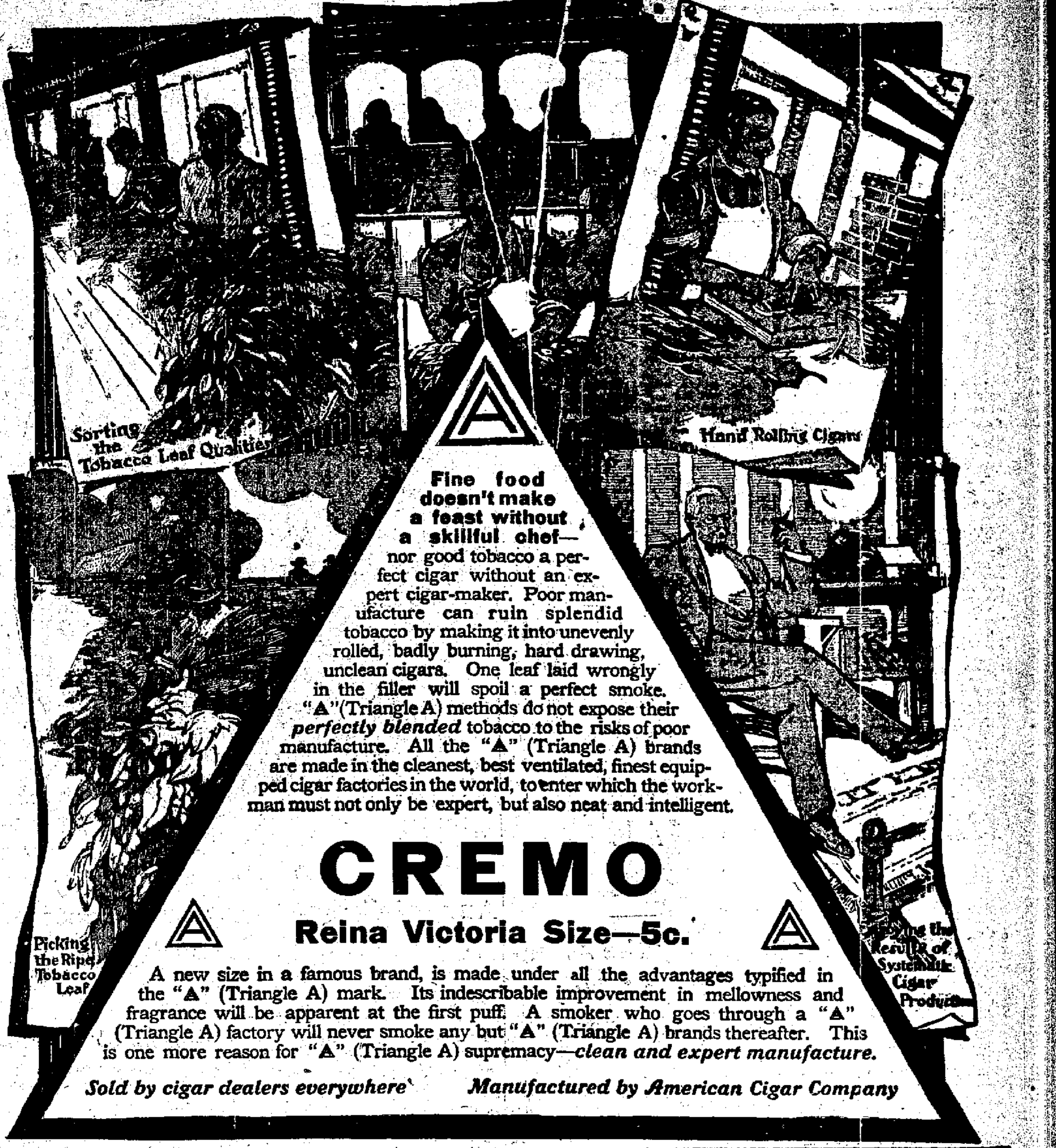
He signed properly for the package. Working as he did under the eyes of genuine employes of the hotel, he pretended to them to be an employe of the mercantile establishment, and, after inquiring at the office for a fictitious person, coolly made off with the property.

MUCH ACCOMPLISHED ON PANAMA WORK

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—On the steamship Mexico, in yesterday from Panama, came Fred Maltby, division engineer; L. E. Dubois, superintendent of construction; Samuel Settoon, of the labor department; James Jester, disbursing officer, and Ira Giles, supervisor of labor. All spoke well of present sanitary conditions on the isthmus. Mr. Maltby said:

"The work is going ahead in a most satisfactory manner. We have taken out on an average of 5000 cubic yards a day since July."

Mr. Dubois, too, declared that the work was going ahead.



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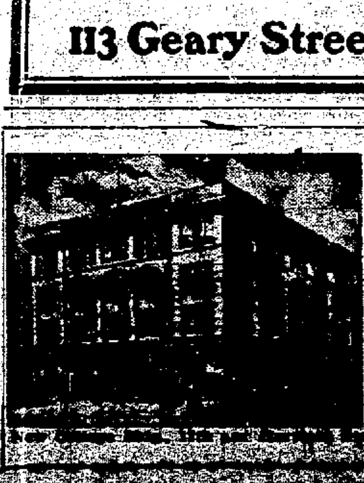

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SCHOOL TEACHERS TO BE SHIFTED

Berkeley Department Will be Scene of Changes During the Coming Term.

BERKELEY, Dec. 14.—Many changes are to be made in the arrangement of the teaching force of the School Department next term, as indicated in Superintendent Waterman's report, which follows, as adopted by the Board of Education:

"First—That the recommendations of Mr. Biedenbach, principal of the McKinley School, with regard to the classification of teachers in his school be adopted.

"Second—That Mrs. M. C. Gregory be transferred from the fifth grade, Lincoln School, to a new class to be formed at the Le Conte School, fourth and fifth or third and fourth, as the case may be.

"Third—That Miss Edna Finley, who has been substituting in the McKinley School, be assigned to the A5 grade in the Lincoln School made vacant by the transfer of Mrs. Gregory, and that Miss Finley's salary for the remainder of the year be the full salary of teachers for the fifth grade, having more than two and less than five years' experience, as her work as substitute has been very satisfactory.

"Fourth—That Miss Winifred Bigley of the Lincoln School and Miss Jeanette McKay of the Whittier School, having finished their two years' probation as substitute teachers and having given entire satisfaction, receive the full pay for teachers of their grade for the remainder of the year.

"Fifth—That an additional teacher for a mixed third and fourth grade be elected for the San Pablo Avenue School.

"These changes are recommended for the good of the department and these additional classes will surely be needed. I will have time before the next meeting of the Board to examine the promotion lists carefully and determine what other teachers, if any, will be needed for the department for the coming term. Very respectfully,

"S. D. WATERMAN."

Principal Biedenbach's communication reads:

"I respectfully recommend the following classification of the teachers in the McKinley School for the term January to June, 1906:

"Eighth and ninth grades—Clara M. Partridge, Blanche Morse, Mabel Fisher, Etta Ellerhorst.

"Sixth and fifth grades—Louise Kidder, Zinie Kidder, Edna Potwin, Vida Vervalin, Nellie Newton.

"Fourth and third grades—Eugenia Mouser, Geneva Shaw, Anna O'Bannon, Margaret L. Davis.

"Second and first grades—Ella Bailey, Anna Mantz, L. Loretta Shaw.

"Ungraded classes—Lydia Attebury."

It was approved.

TALK OF DIVORCE

Woman Lecturer to Read a Paper.

BERKELEY, Dec. 14.—Divorce was discussed at the December quarterly meeting of the Berkeley Political Equality Society to be held at the residence of the president, Mrs. C. C. Hall, Hillside avenue between Channing way and Dwight way, this afternoon at 3 o'clock. December 14, at 3 o'clock.

Mrs. Louise Benson, the well-known parlor lecturer, who has been giving the series of Friday morning lectures in Berkeley, presented a carefully prepared paper on the subject of "Marriage and Divorce." There was read also the reply of ex-Congressman Shafroth of Colorado to ex-President Cleveland's attack upon woman suffrage and women's clubs.

TO APPEAL TO AMERICAN PEOPLE

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—Homer B. Hulbert, who came to America from the Emperor of Korea to deliver to President Roosevelt the Emperor's protest against the Japanese protectorate over Korea, says he will appeal in Korea's behalf to the American people. Mr. Hulbert was in the city yesterday, starting last night for Cape Cod. In an interview he told of Korea's wrongs at the hands of the Japanese and of his own efforts in Washington to have the American government to use its good offices in Korea's behalf.

"I cabled the Emperor of Korea today," said Mr. Hulbert, "htat the only hope of American interference now lay in a direct appeal to the people of this country, and I am therefore ready to break the reserve which I have maintained since my arivel in this country as to the true situation in Korea."

Mr. Hulbert's interview to the press was substantially the same as that given by him earlier in Washington.

ODD FELLOWS TO ENTERTAIN TONIGHT

BERKELEY, Dec. 14.—The regular meeting of Berkeley Lodge No. 270, I. O. O. F., tonight, will be marked by a fraternal visit from the members of Alameda County Past Grands' Association. After the work in the lodgeroom the visitors will be entertained at a banquet.

BOY IS MISSING.

BERKELEY, Dec. 14.—Charles Wilson, a ten-year-old lad whose relatives reside at Denver, Colo., has mysteriously disappeared from St. Joseph's Academy at Peralta Park, and despite the best efforts of the police and school authorities no trace of him has been found. Wilson has light hair and blue eyes and is frail and slender, and at the time he disappeared he was wearing a gray suit. About a week ago he sold all his possessions to his fellow pupils and ran away without leaving even a note behind. It is believed the youngster is trying to make his way to Denver, where his relatives reside.

SOCIAL DOINGS

Occupy the Attention of Haywardites.

HAYWARD, Dec. 14.—The Native Daughters initiated Miss Ethel Stone into the mysteries of the California bear last evening, and afterward invited the Native Sons in to play whist with them. Election of officers for the Daughters is announced for next meeting. All Native Sons and Daughters and their friends, and all who love a good dance and lots of fun, are looking forward with great pleasure to the 'hayseed ball" to be given by them Friday evening, December 29. The N. D. G. W. organization now has 50 members.

NEW PHOTOGRAPHER.

The Hayward photograph gallery has been bought by O. G. Swanets of 2220 Peralta avenue, Fruitvale, who has heretofore been in the house to house photographing business. Mr. Swanets is a man of family, and had just recently bought the place he has in Fruitvale, but will probably remove to Hayward as soon as he can make arrangements.

FERN PLANTS.

The Ramage Hardware Co is making a beautiful window display of potted ferns for the holidays. They are from the hothouses of Gove Roberts at San Lorenzo.

RUMMAGE.

The piece de resistance at the "rummage" sale by the ladies of the Episcopal Guild, at the Guild hall, Friday morning of this wek, will be the real estate sign of Ramage & Stanton, which was brought to the common level by the Meek surrey one day this week. Although it was elevated on a redwood post six inches in diameter, the surrey top laid it low without a bit of injury to itself.

SOCIAL.

Rev. Lyons has been granted a leave of absence from the Presbyterian pulpit, on account of his health, and, with his family, will remove to Berkeley soon.

Cypress Camp, W. O. W., has a new drill team. Elmer Welsh was chosen captain and the following members will constitute the team: E. A. Hill, M. F. Simas, D. S. Williams, M. J. Beaumont, M. August, J. L. Vargas, M. F. Frates, Hans Henningsen, E. A. Peterson, N. B. Borree, Charles Ubhoff and H. W. Holmes. Handsome new uniforms have been ordered.

NEW DWELLINGS IN NORTH BERKELEY

BERKELEY, Dec. 14.—Among the latest dwellings completed and ready for occupancy in North Berkeley are noted the following:

Corner of Grove and Berryman, a two-story dwelling, built by Ignoff, the contractor, for J. Haywards, who will take up residence there.

W. F. Snyder has just completed a dwelling on the corner of Vine and Josephine streets, which will shortly be occupied.

On Vine street, near Grove, a two-story dwelling, containing eleven rooms, has just been completed for W. F. Clark of San Francisco.

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Annual Election of Officers--Speeches Made--Banquet Enjoyed--Results.

BERKELEY, Dec. 14.—Sixty men, including many of Berkeley's most prominent business and professional men, were in attendance Tuesday night at the annual banquet and meeting of the Y. M. C. A. President William H. Waste presided and acted as toastmaster during the banquet, which was served by the Ladies' Auxiliary and corps of assistants. After the repast the meeting was called to order by the president, and Treasurer W. H. Popert presented his annual statement. This showed receipts of $3777.63 and expenditures of $3756.20, leaving a balance on hand of $21.43.

Reports were presented showing the results of the work in various departments.

The nominating committee through the chairman, L. I. Reed, placed the following named men in nomination as directors for the ensuing three years: J. L. Barker, J. O. Davenport, F. L. Naylor and W. H. Popert. There being no other nominations, the secretary was instructed to cast the ballot for these gentlemen.

President Waste introduced the first speaker of the evening, A. W. Naylor, president of the First National Bank, who responded to the toast, "The Value of the Y. M. C. A. from a Business Man's Standpoint." He said in part: "The Y. M. C. A. is of inestimable value to the community, standing as it does for clean living and stalwart character. It is of value because it produces men who enter the activities of life with proper standards and high ideals." He commented on the fact that the railroads believe in the association as a business proposition.

Rev. Lapsley A. McAfee was the second speaker, presenting "The Association as a Moral Force." He dwelt upon the fact that young men have associations, and it is our duty to see that they are of the proper kind. The Y. M. C. A. as a Christian association represents the highest moral tone. He liked the word force because it indicated power. The association represented a moral influence at work and not latent.

BUSINESS MEN ACT

Stand for Benefit of Taxpayers.

SAN LEANDRO, Dec. 14.—Clan Macdonald of Glencoe No. 79, O. S. C., of Oakland banqueted at the Estudillo House last evening. Plates were laid for 100 guests. There was a special menu, a program of speeches and other literary features, and all the good things that customarily go with a banquet at the Estudillo House.

MONEY AND WIFE.

J. S. Ward, who recently drew a $1250 prize in the Little Mexican Lottery, or at least is credited with having done so, was married last Sunday to Miss Mamie Murphy of Sacramento at St. Anthony's Catholic Church in East Oakland, of which Father Yorke is pastor, and brought his wife immediately to a cosy home at No. 211 Hayes street, San Leandro. Mr. Ward, who is employed at the Best factory, has made himself quite a favorite with many of the young folk of San Leandro during his short stay of a few months here, and the San Leandro band, accompanied by a number of others, gave them a musical welcome at their new home Tuesday evening. Mr. Ward's people live in Santa Cruz, where he was raised, and Mrs. Ward was born and brought up in Sacramento. They will undoubtedly be a welcome addition to the young married society of San Leandro. Mrs. Ward has a sister at Elmhurst, Mrs. Will McDermott.

GOT A GOLD MINE.

It is rumored here that Frank F. Rawson, a former townsman who is likely to live here again if the proceedings of yesterday count for anything, has become the sole owner of the Klamath Consolidated Gold Mining Co., owning eighty acres of placer ground in Amador county, near Jackson, in an excellent location.

THE MERCHANTS' ASSOCIATION.

At its meeting Tuesday evening the Merchants' Association adopted resolutions and postponed the election of permanent officers one week. The resolutions were as follows:

Whereas, The fee charged for a peddler's license in San Leandro is so small that peddlers enjoy an unjust advantage over the established merchants of the city, who are obliged to pay rent, taxes, insurance, etc., in addition to a license fee, and whereas in our neighboring city of Hayward the mercantile interests are given more protection in the shape of a larger fee on peddlers, therefore be it

Resolved, That it is the sense of the Merchants' Association of San Leandro that the fee for peddlers be raised to equal that charged in Hayward, to wit, $25 per quarter.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the Board of Trustees and other copies to the local press.

J. Olympia, manager of the Luso-American store, is being mentioned for president of the Merchants' Association.

BERKELEY MEN TO VISIT THE SOUTH

BERKELEY, Dec. 14.—F. W. Richardson and John Havens, directors of the Board of Trade, leave Friday for Santa Barbara, where they will attend the meeting of the California Promotion Committee. The promotion men meet in the Southern city on Saturday, the 16th.

Mr. Havens will return to Berkeley early in the following week, but Mr. Richardson will visit in the southern part of the State until after the New Year.

WOMAN RETURNS.

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—After an absence of nearly two years, the woman who was the wife of Charles W. Morse, a wealthy banker, until the husband whom she had divorced, Charles Dodge, had their separation set aside, and in this way led to his own indictment and that of A. H. Hummel and other lawyers, is back in this country. She returned from Europe several weeks ago.

It is said she will be called as a witness against Hummel should this be deemed necessary by District Attorney Jerome, and should this necessity arise, Mr. Morse will also be called to the stand.

She went to Europe in March of last year, soon after it was learned that her marriage to Mr. Morse had been annulled, following the setting aside of her divorce from Dodge.

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FARCE BY KRUSCHKE

College Boy to Have His Play Produced.

BERKELEY, Dec. 14.—The field of the professional playwright has been entered by Emil Kruschke a University character, whose skill in staging dramatic performances has made him locally famous.

Kruschke has just finished writing a play for Ye Liberty Playhouse, which will be staged in January. The play will be a three-act farce comedy entitled "Off the Road," and has been written by Kruschke especially for Frank Bacon, the comedian with Bishop's players.

Kruschke is a graduate of the Berkeley High School, and is at present coaching the class farce to be produced on Friday of this week. He attended the University with the class of '05, and wrote the famous Junior Farce, "A Pair of Papas," which made a decided hit.

As a manager Kruschke has made a mark, successfully producing some elaborate University plays, among them "Sweet Lavender," Pinero's masterpiece.

DIMOND DOINGS

Rapid Progress of Hillside Center.

FRUITVALE, Dec. 14.—Upper Fruitvale, in these later days known as Dimond postoffice, is forging ahead into prominence rapidly.

Dr. H. C. Hewlett of San Francisco has opened a drug store in the building on Hopkins street formerly occupied by Dr. Mason. He will also practice as a physician. He will reside at the store, which will be known as the Dimond Pharmacy.

Mrs. Dinney and daughter of Fresno, relatives of Mr. Foster, are opening a restaurant in the building on Fruitvale avenue formerly occupied by the tea and coffee store.

Four new houses are going up on School street alone, all in close proximity to each other.

The rear addition to the school house of Fruitvale District No. 1 is about finished, and adds greatly to the imposingness of the building.

S. A. Potter has recently sold the acre of land and five-room cottage owned by Mr. Little at the corner of Vernon and High streets to C. Taylor of Hayward for $3000.

The Thorpe place on the old county road between Fruitvale and Peralta avenues has also changed hands lately at $3200, Charles F. Lee being the active agent in the deal. The piece of land is 50x228x200 feet—"flatiron" shape—and has a six-room cottage on it.

A sale of the old and well established grocery business of G. MacDonald—lot, building and business—and a $20,000 sale of acreage property for purposes of lot subdivision are still "in the air," but with every prospect of successful consummation. In fact, a deposit has been paid on one of them.

PERSONAL.

Dr. Alesha Sivartha and wife of Peralta avenue and Forest street are enjoying the advent of a new boy born to them a few days ago.

Dr. Sivartha was formerly connected with Harvard University, and his name has been well known among scientists and educators for many years the world over. He is over 80 years of age, but could pass easily for 60 or less. Mrs. Sivartha was formerly Miss Elizabeth Smalley of Kings county, in this State.

AT THE FORUM.

The Ladies' Guild of the Congregational Church at lower Fruitvale and the King's Daughters will combine to hold a home-made apron and home cooking social in Armory Hall on Fruitvale avenue, Saturday afternoon and evening of this week, commencing at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. The purpose of the social is to give the wanderer who eats at restaurants and the married man who seldom gets home to supper a taste of home cooking such as his mother used to make.

GOVERNOR ILL.

CHICAGO, Dec. 4.—Glovernor S. H. Elrod of South Dakota is in Chicago, suffering from a severe attack of indigestion. Governor Elrod and a party of South Dakota State officials arrived here yesterday on their way home from Indiana, where they had inspected some stone quarries with a view to deciding on material for the proposed State capitol.

After receiving medical treatment the Governor last night was said to be improving. Unless his condition suddenly should grow worse, Governor Elrod and his party will leave for South Dakota tonight.

A LIFE FOR A LIFE.

Edgar Wallace of London set a trap in his room for a mouse. After he had gone to sleep the trap snapped and he awoke to find the room rapidly filling with gas from a burner that he had left half turned on. He turned off the gas and then opened the trap and released the mouse—a life for a life.—Chicago Journal.

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A soft, fine grained skin is a valued possession.

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UNITARIAN CLUB HOLDS ANNUAL MEETING

Reports Show the Organization to be in a Healthy Condition--Much Work Done.

ALAMEDA, Dec. 14.—The tenth annual meeting of the Unitarian Club, one of the most flourishing organizations in this city, was held last night, at which time Brainard C. Brown, secretary and treasurer of the association, reported on the progress of the year.

The report shows the healthy condition of the club and tells of the work that has been done in the last year. The report reads in part: The vitality of the club remains undiminished. The membership is maintained at the limit set by the by-laws. The waiting list remains unbroken. Interest and atendance have been steadily maintained and the members, as well as the public at large, have continued the assurance that the club stands, as it did nine years ago, a power for the elevation and the betterment of its members, and a factor for good in the life of our beautiful city.

The club has held twenty-two meetings and a number of "ladies' nights." The executive board has held the same number of meetings, transacting business without omission on dates alternating with the club nights.

A marked improvement has been effected in the room occupied by the club. The renovation which has been given to the main auditorium of the church adds to the attractiveness of the "ladies' nights" gatherings.

At the present time there is a membership roll of 250, the limit set by the constitution. There is a waiting list of almost the same number. The assets of the club reach over the $700 mark.

The officers elected at the meeting are as folows: President, Frank Otis; secretary-treasurer, B. C. Brown, and the directors, Messrs. Scott, Clark, Baum, Murdock, Barringer and Moore.

The program of the evening was as folows: French horn solo (selected), George Kansee; Life motion pictures: "The Boar Hunt," "How They Make Sausages in Ireland," "A Trip to Bedlam," "Troubles of a Bad Boy," and others; Report of secretary-treasurer. (The only dry number. Members may retire if they wish); nomination of officers; A few minutes with Roy Folger; (Those who have retired would better return); Life motion pictures: "The Illusionist," "The Soldier's Nightmare," "The Growing Man," "Snowballing in Paris," and others; intermission, with orchestral music; election of officers; Life motion pictures: "Masks and Faces," "Street Scene, Kenmare, Ireland," "A Fishing Story," and others.

WILL CONSIDER FRANCHISE.

ALAMEDA, December 14.—This evening the trustees will meet to discuss the application for a franchise to operate a railroad in this city made by Attorney W. H. Hart. The backers of Hart's proposal are not known and the meeting will be watched with interest to see if any disclosures in this line are made.

At the meeting to be held on next Monday night it is rumored that Colonel Furgeson will apply to the trustees for a franchise covering the same route. Friday night will be the regular committee session of the trustees and at that time many matters of importance will be acted upon.

MEETING POSTPONED.

The meeting of the Central Club which was to be held last night was postponed until next Wednesday evening. Tomorrow evening the members will join with the West Enders to discuss the charter election to be held in a short time. The meeting of the advisory board of the various improvement clubs has been postponed until Tuesday, the 19th of this month.

GAS ENGINE PLANT STARTS.

ALAMEDA, Dec. 14.—The Hercules Gas Engine Company opened its plant at the foot of Park street yesterday afternoon. About fifty men are employed at the present time.

OFFICERS INSTALLED.

ALAMEDA, Dec. 14.—The Germania Gesang Verein will have its installation of officers on the first Tuesday evening in January. The officers are: Fritz Boehmer, president; Frank von Berckfeldt, vice-president; John Ansel, treasurer, Eugene Ansel, librarian; Fred Schuman, press representative.

INJURED MAN IMPROVING.

ALAMEDA, Dec. 14.—The condition of James Ralley, the Oaklander who met with severe injuries in a tumble from his bicycle one night at the corner of Pacific avenue and Eighth street, being taken to the local Receiving Hospital early the next morning with a fractured skull, is now reported to be somewhat improved at the Alameda Sanitorium.

The mystery surrounding the affair has not yet been cleared up, although the police are still working on the case. Ralley is now able to remember the name of his physician, Dr. J. Emmet Clark, from day to day, but his mind is still a blank as to the occurrences of the night when he came to this city. His badly battered bicycle, which bears mute testimony to a terrific collision of some kind, is still at the police office.

ANNUAL INSTALLATION.

ALAMEDA, Dec. 14.—Carita Chapter No. 115, Order of the Eastern Star, had a number of grand officers present at its annual installation. Worthy Grand Patron Florin L. Jones of San Francisco was the installing officer. The chapter was given a pleasant surprise by the presence of Mrs. Georgia Polhamus, worthy grand matron, of San Diego, and Mrs. Merritt of Oakland, associate grand matron, was also in attendance.

An interesting feature of the occasion was the presentation of a handsome jewel of the order to Mrs. Elisabeth May Sheeran, the retiring worthy matron. The presentation speech was made gracefully by Mrs. Susie Gardiner Sturtevant, and Mrs. Sheeran made a suitable response. The presentation of an elegant jewel to Worthy Patron David W. Martin was made by Mrs. Isabel Clark, a past worthy matron, on behalf of the chapter.

ALUMNI TO MEET.

ALAMEDA, Dec. 14.—The Alumni Association of the Alameda High school is to hold its annual meeting tomorrow evening. At the meeting officers are to be chosen for the ensuing year. The affair will be in the nature of a reception, and will be made a social function.

MASONIC OFFICERS.

ALAMEDA, Dec. 14.—Alameda Chapter No. 70, Royal Arch Masons, at a meeting last night elected officers for the ensuing year as follows: High priest, George H. Fox; king, J. C. Bates Jr.; scribe, H. Maurice Kebby; treasurer (re-elected), David W. Martin; secretary (re-elected), Oswald Lubbock; trustee (re-elected), P. S. Teller.

LIBRARY IS GRAND

Historian Waxes Enthusiastic Over It.

BERKELEY, Dec. 14.—President Wheeler has just received the following statement from Professor Reuben Gold Thwaites, secretary of the Wisconsin Historical Society, setting forth his views as to the priceless value of the Bancroft Library of the University of California.

"The purchase of the Hubert Howe Bancroft Library by the University of California is a long step in advance for that institution. The large public or semi-public libraries of the Pacific Coast, while admirably administered, have been inadequately equipped with important American history sources; particularly noticeable being the scarcity of material for first-hand investigation of the history of the coast and mountain states themselves. The reason for this latter condition has long been recognised—the looking up of very much of the material in the private collection of Mr. Bancroft. Knowledge of this fact has resulted in partial paralysis of research work in Western history at the great centers of learning on the Coast; scholars have been waiting for the opening of the Bancroft treasures, before undertaking important monographic enterprises of this character.

"The long-hoped-for event has at last happened, and we can now confidently expect that research work in Western history will at once be vigorously undertaken, not only by graduate students at Berkeley and Stanford—for the proximity of the two universities renders the new collection almost as available to Stanford men as it is to those of the State University—but by scholars generally. Berkeley will now become a Mecca for historical students from all parts of Western North America—Canadians and Mexicans will find the collection quite as important to them as to the people of 'the states.' I look to see speedily established there one of the most important graduate schools in American history known in this country.

"There is every reason for profound congratulations upon the result; by it the University of California gains renown, and American historical scholarship at large is benefited most materially. [illegible]

WRITER TO WED

Berthold Hews of Berkeley to Marry.

BERKELEY, Dec. 14.—Miss Nellie Maria Theresia Munson and Berthold Foster Hews are to wed Wednesday evening, December 20, at the home of the bride's aunt, Mrs. Anna Louisa Munson, 6526 Telegraph avenue.

Rev. C. K. Jenness will officiate. The bride will be attended by Miss Edith McGreer, while Thayer Rhodes will support the groom.

The bride-to-be has resided in this city with her aunt for the past seven years, coming here from Chicago, her native city. Since his graduation from the Berkeley High School in 1903 Mr. Hews has been engaged in newspaper work. Mr. Hews and his bride will make their home at 2918 Ellsworth street.

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OFFICIAL RECORDS.

DEEDS.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 13, 1905.

W E or Wm E Bates by Geo Nimmo, atty to Chas L Hedemark, Oakland, E Dover, 31 S 59th or Mariposa av, S 35 x E 125 ptn lots 4 and 5, blk F, redvn map ptn Brumagim tract, W of Shattuck av; $10.

Joe W and Rosie V Legault to Edward T Leiter, Oakland, W Grove, 60-1½ S 36th or Logan, S 33-1½ x W 116 being N 33-1½ of lot 15, blk C, ppty Central Land Co, fmly Brown tract; $10.

Mary L Jones (widow) to Scott A and Nona C McCartney, Oakland, W Canning, 75 N Maple, N 25 x W 100, lot 25, blk R, resub ptn Roberts and Wolfskill tract; $10.

Mary A and John D French to Reginald H Allen, E Okd, W cor E-23d and 11th av, SW 110 x NW 160; $10.

Calvin Esterly hus Alice O to Alice O Esterly (wf), Berkeley, SW Ellsworth and Durant av, W 94 x S 90 being N 90 ft of E 94 ft of N ½ of lot 4, blk 13, ppty College Hd Assn; $10.

Lewis A Dougherty to Jas W Dougherty, Mur'y Tp, 1690 acres including all ld in lots 14, 16, 17, 18, 29 to 34, 37, 38 and NW cor lot 10, map ppty Est Elizth A Dougherty Contra Costa and Alameda county, QCD; $10.

L A Dougherty Land Co to same, Mur'y Tp, all int in same being part Ro San Ramon; $100.

Breed & Bancroft (optn) to L L Woods, Oakland, lot 32, Santa Fe tract No 6; $10.

H S and Lizzie M Safford to Aaron Burntrager, Oakland, E Filbert, 55-10 S W-18th, S 30-10 x E 100 ptn lots 31 to 34, in blk 594 Market st tract bet 16th and 18th sts; $10.

Knud Nielsen to Mabel D Wolcott, Oakland, N Sherman av, 410.67 W Gold, W 45 x N 115, lot 30 and E 20 ft lot 30½ amended map sub Mosswood tract; $10.

Lenora M Harrison (widow) to Lorenzo, Benedetto and Louis Delucchi, Oakland, NE 11th and Wood, E 95 x N 35; $10.

J S and Clara Myers to Nels E Benson, E Okd, lot 38, blk B, sub of blk 23, North Alameda tract; $10.

Fredk T and Janet Olsen to Maud L Mitchell wf Frank P, Oakland, S Simpson av, 368.50 W Telegraph av, W 30, S 106.33, E 60, N 106.33 to beg ptn lot 20, Simpson tract etc; $10.

Patk J Farrell (single) to Homer T Bickell, Oakland, N W-10th, 156-6 W Adeline, W 60 x N 118-3, blk 563 Boardmans map; $10.

Orlean M Wilkens (widow) to P S Wilbur, Bklyn Tp, lots 14, 15 and 16, blk B, Church tract etc; $10.

Antonio Rogers extr Est Antonio S Duarte to Antonio J do Santos, Bklyn Tp, W ½ of certain 20-acre tract described as beg at pt on a rail on line fence bet lds of Wm Souther and ld fmly of Dennie Sullivan mkd "B," th SW 21.25 chs to a road leading from San Antonio and San Leandro road to the foothills, th SW 9.10 chs to a stake NE 23.50 chs to fence aforesaid SE 8.97 chs to beg; $1900.

Sam Rogers extr Est Ignacia L Duarte to same, Bklyn Tp, same; $1900.

Albert E Ehrenpfort to Wm Ehrenpfort, Alameda, lots 31 and 32, maps of lds Teutonia Park and Hd Assn; Ala Tp, 0.86 acres tide ld beg at pt in Shore line of Bay of S F at ordinary high tide dst 4.3 chs, S and 2.96 chs, E of granite monument set at NW cor of SW ¼ of Sec 11, Tp 2, S R 4 W, th SW 1.49 chs, th across Tide Lands, S 5.76 chs, E 1.47 chs, N 5.97 chs to beg ptn lot 24, Tp 2, S R 4 W; Ala Tp, 1.47 Tide Land beg at pt in Bay of S F dst 10 chs and 1.30 chs, E of a granite monument at W ln of Sec 11, Tp 2, S R 4 W, .40 chs N of SW cor sd Sec 11 th across Tide Lands, E 1.47 chs, S 10 chs to S ln lot 24 in sd Sec 11, th W 1.47 chs, N 10 chs to beg ptn lot 24 in Sec 11, Tp 2, S R 4 W, map 2, Salt Marsh and Tide Lands; $10.

Joe and Rosa Sarpa (Joseph) to W C Edes, Eden Tp, 8.26 acres beg at pt where located center ln of South Pacific Coast Railway as svyd and mkd upon ground by stakes in Nov, 1905, fm West San Leandro to Elmhurst intersects dvn ln bet ppty of 1st parties and that of Mary Tormey sd pt being at or near Engineer Station 61 plus 01.7, th NE to pt 50 NE at r a fm sd center ln SE to an intrn with NW Davis, SW to SW cor sd ppty of 1st pts NW to an intrn with sd dvn ln sd pt intrn being NW cor sd ppty of pts of 1st part, NE to beg; $10.

Union Savings Bank to Wm Nethercott, Oakland, W Pine, 50-7¼ N Atlantic, N 25 x W 80-7¼, lot 3, blk 39, lds on Okd Pt RR Ferry Ldg tract 406; $10.

DEEDS OF TRUST.

J or Jos and Lillie St Mary to Harry G Dean, Berkeley, lot 3, blk 113, tract B, Bkly L and T I Assn; $375.

L L Woody to W W Garthwaite and H Rogers trs Breed & Bancroft, Oakland, same as in deed fm Breed and Bancroft; $750.

Hannah Surphlis to H Rogers and W W Garthwaite trs Okd Bank of Svgs, Oakland, lot D and S 12 ft of lot C, resub lots 7, 8 and 9, sub 35, map No 3, Glen Echo tract; $200.

Betsy and Abraham Smith to C T Rodolph and A E H Cramer tr Union Savings Bank, Oakland, N 45th, 480 E Grove, E 100 x N 100, lots 33 and 34, blk 2110, Alden tract at Temescal; $700.

Frank E and Adine M Bosworth to J E Baker and C E Tabor trs Alameda Svgs Bk, Alameda, N Buena Vista av, 92-6 W Stanford, W 46 x N 147-6, lot 7, blk 3, resub blks 1, 2 and 3, lds adj to Encinal; $500.

Kossuth Gore (wdwr) to Rebecca Coffey and Octavia Hill trs Henry Coffey, Bklyn Tp, SE Persimmon, 60 NE Lynde av, NE 150 x SE 250, lots 122 to 124, 209 to 211, Fruitvale Addn tract; $700.

Laben and Abbie A Langley to H Rogers and W W Garthwaite trs Okd Bank of Svgs, Oakland, N Chase, 102-6 W Campbell, W 100 x N 135, lots 28, 29, 30 and 31 blk 697, Casserly tract at Point; $1200.

Lulu A and J A Anderson to R J McMullen and W C Moody trs State Savings Bank, Oakland, W Poplar, 136 N 10th, N 38-6 x W 115, lot 9, blk 560, Boardmans map; $1500.

RELEASES.

Berkeley Bank of Savings to Ludwig P and Catharina Meinheit, Berkeley, 519 m 126, lot 8, blk 10, Bklyn pptv maps 1 and 2, Blake tract being ptn plot 69, Kellrgs map V and D, Peralta (Rec Dec 12, 05); $800.

Oakland Bank of Savings to Louis Titus and Bkly Dev'pt Co, Berkeley, 728 m 305, 704 m 177, lots 3 and 4, blk 9, Fairview Park, Okd, Bkly and Okd Tp (Recorded Dec 12, 05); partial.

N O'Leary to Matthew and Hanora Dolan, Oakland, 695 m 195, lots 16 and 17, blk B, map Broadway and Telegraph ave Hd (Rec Dec 12, 05); $800.

Chas D Pierce to Emma J and A H Cooper, Alameda, 599 m 23, 1 acre see 5th mtge in Transcript No 2550 June 6, 99, Recorder Dec 12, 05); $1000.

J S Bittencourt to M Silva, Eden Tp, 727 m 63 See 2d Probate in Transcript No 4409 July 6, 05 (Recorded Dec 12, 05); $500.

Minnie C Focha extrx Est Frank J Focha to Jose and Rosa Serpa (Joseph), Eden Tp, 680 m 36, same as in deed fm Rosa and Jos Serpa, partial; $2000.

Fredk H Clark to Edwin Sherrett, Berkeley, 682 m 395, lots 10 and 11, blk 5, McGee tract; $150.

J B Casabonne to Jos St Mary, Berkeley, 706 m 331, lot 3, blk 113, Tract B, Bkly L and T I Assn; $325.

Farmers' & Mchts Svgs Bank to Martin and Celia Madden, Oakland, 687 m 126, E Valley, 163 S Elm or 34th, S 50 x E 150 ptn lot 4, blk 12, Pacific Hd; $800.

Alex Foster to Patk J Farrel, Oakland, 706 m 322, same as in deed from Patrick J Farrell; $500.

Oakland Bank of Savings to Sam B and Isabelle Wakefield, E Okd, 721 m 188, lot 22, blk 5, Wakefield tract; partial.

Inez F. Deming and Sarah W. Haynes (Deming) (both single) to S. H. Masters, SW Broadway and Bay place, W 153:1, S 118:4, E 123.10, N 122 to beginning, lots 24, 25, 26, 41 and 42, map Lincoln and Webster Homestead Unions, Oakland; $10.

Peter Akeson to Cathrine Akeson (wife), S Elizabeth or Sixty-seventh street, 275 E San Pablo avenue, E 50 by S 100, lot 6, Potts tract, Oakland; gift.

Orla F. and Mary A. Ormsby to Albert H. Piepenburg, N Logan or Thirty-sixth street, 188.63 E Grove, E 25 to E boundary block H, NE 144.98, W 35 to a point, etc., S 139:4 to beginning, portion lot 1, block H, Apgar tract, etc., Oakland; $3650.

Della P. and H. J. Morris to Lorenzo D. Porter, lot 3, block 2, Northlands tract No. 1, Berkeley; $10.

Christina M. Bennett (widow) to Lucy J. Dent, W Grove street, 220 N Vine, W 136, N 9.85, E 134.64 to beginning, being portion lot 3, block 1, Northlands tract No. 1, portion Kellersberger's plot 89, Berkeley; $10.

Henry C. L. Tonjes to Christina M. Bennett (widow), W Grove street, 140 N Vine, W 135, N 9.85, E 134.64 to beginning, portion lot 5, block 1, same, Berkeley; $10.

John and Sophie Smith to Luke T. Poulter (married), SE Bay avenue, 380 NE Boulevard avenue, NE 50 by SE 132.75, lots 53 and 54, block N, Fruitvale Boulevard tract, Brooklyn township; $10.

Daniel P. and Rose F. Durst (by M. H. Durst, their attorney) to Alice and Oliver G. Hossler, lots 125 and 208, Fruitvale Addition tract, Brooklyn township; $10.

Columbus Bartlett to Louise M. Bartlett, W St. Charles street, 578:2 S Kings avenue, W 126:5½ by S 311:7, Alameda; dwelling house and other improvements on said premises and furniture, etc., Alameda; strip tide land adjoining S and immediately in front above described land, 126:5½ by 609, with wharf, bulkhead, bath house and other improvements thereon, being part lot 31 in section 11, township 2 S, range 4 W, tide lands, Alameda; gift.

George K. Sr and Bessie M. Holloway to John T. Holloway, lots 1 and 2, block 8, map No. 1 Bellevue Park tract, San Leandro, Eden township; gift.

Same to George K. Holloway Jr., lots 3 and 4, block 8, same, Eden township; gift.

Mary E. and Florian Smith to Jefferson M. Dauger (single), E Franklin street, 75 N Fifth, N 25 by E 75, lot 4, block 56, Kellersberger's map, Oakland; $10.

Jefferson M. Dauger (single) to Simone Franco (married), same, Oakland; $10.

American Surety Company of New York to Lulu A. Anderson, W Poplar street, 136 N Tenth, N 39:6 by W 115, lot 9, block 560, Boardman's map, Oakland; $10.

Minnie I. Worth to Patrick Cahill, W 40 feet lot 26, block B, Gaskill tract, Oakland; $10.

Patrick and Emma F. Cahill to Minnie I. or Mary I Worth, lot 25, block B, same, Oakland; $10.

James F. and Fannie J. Lott to George McDonald, NE East Twenty-fourth (Abel) street, 325 SE Twenty-first avenue (Alamada), SE 75 by NE 140, lots 35, 36 and 37, block 82, northern addition to Brooklyn, East Oakland; $10.

Maria E. and J. D. Bailey to M. K. Jacobus (femme sole), lots 5 and 6, block B, Clinton Mound tract, Brooklyn, East Oakland; $10.

John D. and Louise E. McTeer to Florence C. Dam, SW East Twenty-fourth street, 270 SE Eleventh avenue, SE 10 by SW 100, block 142, Clinton, East Oakland; $10.

H. C. and Leah S. Beck (McReynolds) to Andrew and Jane E. Herrmann, intersection center line Laurel avenue with W line lands W. T. Such, thence SE 573.50 to center line Strawberry avenue, NW 32:4, NW 44, SW 57, SW 67, NW 113, NW 345.50, NE 111, NE 127, NE 155 to beginning, lots 25 and 26, map University Heights, excepting portion Laurel Spring and Strawberry avenues contained within above described, as per said map, Oakland township; $10.

The Realty Syndicate to John Ferrin (married), lot 41, Piedmont tract, Oakland township; $10.

John W. Havens (single) to Andrew Herrmann (married), SW corner Ward and Tremont streets, S 130, W 75.45, N 129.65, E 85 to beginning, lots 17 and 18, block 17, map Shattuck tract No. 5, portion plot 68, Kellersberger's map V. and D. Peralta rancho, Berkeley; $10.

F. L. and Olive A. Naylor to Frank Hohenschild, N Vine street, 90 W Grove, W 45 by N 100, lot 9, block 1, Northlands tract, Berkeley; $10.

Rosa M. Shattuck (widow) to John A. Clover (married), lots 9, 10 and 11, block 1, Shattuck tract No. 2, first party reserves perpetual right to use of bed of Strawberry creek for sewerage and drainage purposes, Berkeley; $10.

Charles E. and Louise M. Miller to Frederick C. and Ellen S. Johnson, E Benvenue avenue, 300 S Stuart street, S 50 by E 148, lot 14, block J, Berry-Bangs tract, Berkeley; $10.

Ada Levick (trustee) to Caroline T. Riley, lot 4, block 1, amended map portion La Loma Park and Wheeler tract, Berkeley; $10.

Daniel P. and Rose F. Durst (by M. H. Durst, their attorney) to Kossuth Gore (widower), lots 122, 123, 124, 209, 210 and 211, Fruitvale Addition tract, Fruitvale, Brooklyn township; $10.

Charles Renner to A. G. Snetsinger, E Fruitvale avenue, 106.42 S Washington street, S 50.68, E 138.76, N 50, W 147 to beginning, lot 8, block 772, C. C. Clay's subdivision Levy and Lane tract, Fruitvale, Brooklyn township; $1500.

A. G. Snetsinger (single) to W. R. Senter, E Fruitvale avenue, 131.76 S Washington street, S 25.34, E 138.76, N 25, W 142.88 to beginning, being S one-half lot 8, block 772, same, Brooklyn township; $10.

George and Margaret McDonald to James F. Lott, 2 acres, beginning at point on NW line county road Hayward to Dublin, distant NE 7.68 chains from intersection with E line county road Hayward to San Ramon, thence NW 3.12 chains to NE corner Independent School district property, NE 2.58 chains to a point, SE 7.38 chains to a point on road first aforesaid, SW 2.63 chains to beginning, portion rancho San Lorenzo, Eden township; $10.

James P. Montgomery et al. to Ellen Montgomery, 160 acres, being NE one-quarter of section 26, township 2 S, range 3 E, Murray township; $10.

Ellen Montgomery (widow Z.) to Jane E. Montgomery (single), same, Murray township; $10.

MORTGAGES.

Charles L. and Emma M. Hedemark to W. E. Bates, same as in deed from W. E. or William E. Bates et al., Oakland, installments, 8 per cent (recorded December 12, 1905); $1900.

E. R. Schroeder (single) to A. M. Bertelsen, S Santa Clara avenue (as same now exists), 160 W Walnut, W 40 by S 160, portion lot 13, block 22, lands adjacent to Encinal, Alameda, 2 years, 8 per cent (recorded December 12, 1905); $2200.

Nels E. Benson to George E. Fogg, same as in deed from J. S. and Clara Meyers, Oakland, 3 years, 8 per cent; $325.

H. G. and Margaret A. Cowing to Farmers' and Merchants' Savings Bank, 73.91 acres, same as in deed from C. Miller et ux., Eden township, 1 year, 8 per cent; $1500.

Antonio J. and Mary do Santos to Frank Joseph, same as in deed from Antonio Rogers et al., Brooklyn township, 1 year, 8 per cent; $2500.

Same to Antonio Rogers, same, Brooklyn township, 1 month, 8 per cent; $1300.

Henry J. and Mary I. Crocker to German Savings and Loan Society, undivided one-half 17,752 acres, known and called rancho Canada de los Vacqueros or Posa de los Vacqueros, in Contra Costa and Alameda county, Murray township; property out of county; $125,000.

Frederick C. and Ellen S. Johnson to University Savings Bank, same as in deed from Charles E. and Louise M. Miller, Berkeley, 1 year, 8 per cent; $5461.

John A. and Mattie M. Clover and Frank C. and Cassie Bain to Frank M. Wilson, S Center street, 209.93 W Milvia, W 120 by S 136, lots 9, 10 and 11, block 1, Shattuck tract, map No. 2, Berkeley, 8½ per cent; $4500.

Frank and Rose A. Hohenschild to Berkeley Bank of Savings, same as in deed from F. L. and Olive A. Naylor, Berkeley, 1 year; $1500.

James F. and Fannie J. Lott to Margaret McDonald, same as in deed from George McDonald et ux., Eden township, 1 year, 7 per cent; $1500.

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with the expenses of sale, to wit:

1 upholstered parlor set, consisting of four chairs and one rocking chair.
1 trunk and contents.
4 oak dining chairs, cane bottom.
1 box of bedding.
1 basket of dishes.
1 box of pictures.
1 box of pillows.
Fancy table covers, mats, etc.
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Leave—	October 8, 1905.	—Arrive
7:34a	Elmira, Vacaville, Winters, Rumsey	7:14p
7:34a	Richmond, Benicia, Suisun, Sacramento and way stations	6:48p
8:13a	Vallejo, Santa Rosa, Napa, Calistoga, Martinez, San Ramon; stage from Calistoga to all Lake County points daily, except Sunday	6:28p
8:07a	Shasta Express (via Davis, Woodland, Willows) Portland, Tacoma, Seattle and East	7:14p
8:39a	Davis, Woodland, Knights Landing, Marysville, Oroville	7:14a
8:53a	Port Costa, Martinez, Antioch, Byron, Tracy, Stockton, Mendota, Hanford, Visalia, Porterville, arrive via Niles at First and Broadway	5:32p
8:53a	Lathrop, Modesto, Merced, Fresno, Goshen Junction, Bakersfield; connects at Berenda for Raymond; at Goshen Junction for Visalia and Hanford	4:08p
9:37a	Atlantic Express (via Benicia) Ogden, Omaha, Chicago, Salt Lake City, St. Louis	8:47p
10:11a	Richmond, Port Costa, Martinez, (Concord except Sunday) and way stations	6:08p
10:54a	Los Angeles Passenger, Port Costa, Martinez, Byron, Tracy, Lathrop, Stockton, Merced, Raymond, Fresno, Bakersfield, Los Angeles connects at Goshen Junction for Hanford, Lemoore, Visalia, and at Los Angeles for all Southern California points	6:30p
10:54a	Vallejo, daily; Napa Sundays only	7:14p
11:37a	Overland Limited, Ogden, Chicago, Salt Lake City, Denver, Chicago	5:05p
3:56p	Port Costa, Martinez, Byron, Fresno	11:54a
4:14p	Benicia, Suisun, Elmira, Winters, Sacramento and way stations	10:08a
4:14p	Davis, Knights Landing, Marysville, Oroville	10:08a
4:54p	Vallejo, Santa Rosa, Napa, Calistoga, Martinez, San Ramon and way stations	8:55a
5:35p	The Owl Limited (via Martinez) Newman, Los Banos, Fresno, Tulare, Bakersfield, Los Angeles Chicago-St. Louis special, sleeper, via El Paso for Kansas City, St. Louis, Chicago	8:14a
5:54p	El Dorado, via Martinez, Vallejo, Crockett, Port Costa, Martinez	10:58a
6:41p	Eastern Express, via Martinez and Stockton, Byron, Stockton, Sacramento, Humboldt, Winnemucca, Carlin, Montello — Ogden, Cheyenne, Omaha, Chicago, Denver, Kansas City, St. Louis	12:12p
7:38p	Reno Passenger, Port Costa, Benicia, Suisun, Elmira, Dixon, Davis, Sacramento, Rocklin, Auburn, Colfax, Truckee, Boca, Reno, Sparks, Tonopah, Goldfield, Bullfrog, Keeler and way stations	6:54a
8:14p	Yosemite and Mariposa Big Trees via Raymond-Wawona Route	8:14a
9:00p	Oregon Express (via Sacramento, Marysville) Portland, Tacoma, Seattle, Spokane	8:05a

NILES ROUTE.
First Street, near Broadway.

8:16a	Niles, Pleasanton, Livermore, Tracy, Lathrop, Stockton	6:53p
8:16a	Niles, San Jose, Livermore, Stockton, Lodi and Sacramento; connect at Stockton (except Sunday) for Milton; at Lodi for Valley Spring; at Galt for Ione; at Sacramento for Marysville and Red Bluff, (Folsom and Placerville, Auburn and Colfax; carries local Stockton	6:52p
8:16a	Oakdale, Chinese, Jamestown, Sonora, Tuolumne, Angels	3:32p
12:15p	San Leandro, Haywards, Niles, San Jose and way stations	2:12p
4:15p	San Leandro, Haywards, Niles and way stations	7:14p
4:35p	Niles, Pleasanton, Livermore, Tracy, Lathrop, Stockton, Lodi; arrive via Martinez at Sixteenth Street	9:56a
6:15p	San Leandro, Hayward, Niles, Livermore, and way station; connects at San Jose with Sunset Express for New Orleans and points east of El Paso	†8:04a
†8:50p	San Leandro, Hayward, Niles, San Jose and way stations	6:33a
8:50p	San Leandro, Hayward, Niles, San Jose and way stations	9:06a
‖9:35p	San Leandro, Hayward, Niles, San Jose and way stations	‖11:33a

COAST DIVISION.
Fourteenth and Franklin Streets.

8:20a	Newark, San Jose, Boulder Creek, Santa Cruz and way stations	6:47p
‖2:20p	Newark, Centerville, San Jose, Felton, Boulder Creek, Santa Cruz	‖10:47a
4:20p	Newark, Centerville, San Jose, Los Gatos and way stations	‡8:47a 10:47a
8:46p	Hunters' Train—San Jose and way (Saturday only)	‖7:58p

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8:00a	The Coaster, San Jose, Salinas, San Ardo, Paso Robles, Santa Margarita, San Luis Obispo, Guadalupe, Gaviota, Santa Barbara, San Buenaventura, Oxnard, Los Angeles	10:30p
8:00a	Gilroy, Hollister, Castroville, Del Monte, Pacific Grove, Surf, Lompoc	10:30p
9:00a	San Jose, Tres Pinos, Capitola, Santa Cruz, Pacific Grove, Salinas, Paso Robles, San Luis Obispo, and principal way stations	4:10p
3:00p	Del Monte Express, Santa Clara, San Jose, Del Monte, Pacific Grove, Gilroy, Hollister, Tres Pinos, Pajaro, Watsonville, Santa Cruz	12:15p
3:30p	South San Francisco, Palo Alto, San Jose, Hollister, Tres Pinos and principal way stations	10:45a
5:45p	Sunset Express, Redwood, San Jose, Lompoc, Santa Barbara, Oxnard, Somis, Moorpark, Santa Susana, Los Angeles, Deming, El Paso, Chicago, New Orleans, New York	9:10a

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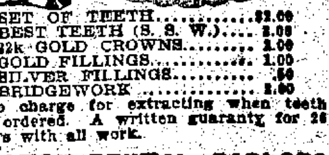

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Estate of Charles E. Hasty, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administrator with the will annexed of the estate of Charles E. Hasty, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator, at the office of Campbell, Metson & Campbell, Rooms 115 to 122 in the Crocker Building, at the corner of Post and Market streets, in the City of San Francisco, State of California, which said office the undersigned selects as his place of business in all matters connected with said estate of Charles E. Hasty, deceased.

F. M. GRAHAM.
Administrator with the will annexed of the estate of Charles E. Hasty, deceased.
Dated, Oakland, November 30, 1905.

NOTICE OF TIME SET FOR PROVING WILL, ETC.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of H. E. Muller, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc. Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of H. E. Muller, deceased, and for the issuance to Paula Muller (also known as Mrs. H. E. Muller) of letters testamentary thereon, has been filed in this court, and that Friday, the 29th day of December, A. D. 1905, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Courtroom of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated, December 13th, 1905.
JOHN P. COOK, Clerk.
By A. A. Rogers, Deputy Clerk.
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NOTICE OF TIME SET FOR PROVING WILL, ETC.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Joseph S. Phillips, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc. Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of Joseph S. Phillips, deceased, and for the issuance to Maria Phillips of letters testamentary thereon, has been filed in this Court, and that Friday, the 22nd day of December, A. D. 1905, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Courtroom of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated December 11th, 1905.
JOHN P. COOK, Clerk.
By A. A. Rogers, Deputy Clerk.
DUDLEY KINSELL, ESQ., Attorney for Petitioner, 861 Broadway, Oakland, Calif.

NOTICE OF TIME SET FOR PROVING WILL, ETC.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Joshua West Jacobs, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc. Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of Joshua West Jacobs, deceased, and for the issuance to Grace C. Jacobs of letters testamentary thereon, has been filed in this Court, and that Friday, the 15th day of December, A. D. 1905, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Courtroom of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated December 4, 1905.
JOHN P. COOK, Clerk.
By A. A. Rogers, Deputy Clerk.
CHICKERING & GREGORY, Attorneys for Petitioners, 222 Sansome street, San Francisco, Cal.

NOTICE OF TIME SET FOR PROVING WILL, ETC.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Ellen Dowling, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc. Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will and codicil thereto of Ellen Dowling, deceased, and for the issuance to Eva May Dowling and Gertrude Dowling of letters testamentary thereon, has been filed in this Court, and that Friday, the 15th day of December, A. D. 1905, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Courtroom of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will and codicil thereto, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated December 4th, 1905.
JOHN P. COOK, Clerk.
By A. A. Rogers, Deputy Clerk.
DUDLEY KINSELL, Attorney for Petitioners, 861 Broadway, Oakland, Calif.

NOTICE OF TIME SET FOR PROVING WILL, ETC.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Sarah L. White, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc. Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of Sarah L. White, deceased, and for the issuance to Emily A. Dunn of letters testamentary thereon, has been filed in this Court, and that Friday, the 15th day of December, A. D. 1905, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Courtroom of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

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DIVIDEND NOTICES.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

THE OAKLAND BANK OF SAVINGS.
Oakland, Cal.

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J. Y. ECCLESTON, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

FARMERS' AND MERCHANTS' SAVINGS BANK.

A dividend has been declared to depositors for the six months ending December 31, 1905, at the rate of three and one-half (3.50) per cent per annum on all savings deposits, payable on and after January 2, 1906. Dividends not called for are added to and bear the same rate of interest as the principal from January 1, 1906.

GEO. S. MEREDITH, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

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DIVIDEND NOTICE.

SECURITY BANK AND TRUST CO.,
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A dividend has been declared to depositors for the six months ending December 31, 1905, at the rate of four (4) per cent per annum on all term savings deposits and three and one-half (3.50) per cent per annum on all ordinary savings deposits, payable on and after January 2, 1906. Dividends not called for are added to and bear the same rate of interest as the principal from January 2, 1906.

CHARLES A. SMITH, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

THE UNION SAVINGS BANK.
Oakland, Cal.

For the six months ending December 31, 1905, a dividend has been declared at the rate of three and one-half (3½) per cent per annum on ALL savings deposits, payable on and after January 2, 1906. Dividends not called for are added to and bear the same rate of interest as the principal from January 2, 1906.

A. E. H. CRAMER, Cashier.

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS' ANNUAL MEETING.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the West Oakland Bank & Trust Co. will be held at the office of the bank, No. 1788 Seventh street, Oakland, Cal., on Tuesday, January 2, 1906, at 4 o'clock p. m.

O. F. BREILING, President.

ANNUAL MEETING.

The thirty-first annual meeting of the stockholders of the Union National Bank of Oakland, California, will be held at the office of the corporation, northwest corner of Broadway and Twelfth street, Oakland, on Tuesday, January 9, 1906, at 2 o'clock p. m.

THOMAS PRATHER, President.
C. E. PALMER, Cashier.
Dated, Oakland, Cal., Dec. 8, 1905.

ANNUAL MEETING.

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Central Bank of Oakland, California, will be held at the offices of the corporation, northeast corner Fourteenth and Broadway, in Oakland, California, on Tuesday, January 9, 1906, at 3:30 o'clock p. m., for the election of directors for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.

ANSON S. BLAKE, Cashier.

ANNUAL MEETING.

THE OAKLAND BANK OF SAVINGS.
Oakland, Cal.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of The Oakland Bank of Savings, Oakland, California, will be held at the [illegible]

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AN ORDINANCE.

AN ORDINANCE ACCEPTING THE SURRENDER AND ABANDONMENT TO THE COUNTY OF ALAMEDA, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, BY THE OAKLAND TRACTION CONSOLIDATED, A CORPORATION, OF ALL ITS RIGHT AND PRIVILEGE UNDER THE FRANCHISE GRANTED BY AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF ALAMEDA, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, NUMBER 18 AND ENTITLED "AN ORDINANCE GRANTING TO THE PIEDMONT CABLE COMPANY, ITS SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS, A FRANCHISE AND RIGHT TO CONSTRUCT, LAY DOWN, OPERATE AND MAINTAIN STREET RAILROADS AND TRACKS ON AND ACROSS CERTAIN STREETS AND AVENUES IN THE TOWNSHIP OF OAKLAND, COUNTY OF ALAMEDA, AND RUN CARS THEREON MOVING BY GRAVITY OR PROPELLED BY WIRE ROPES MOVED BY STATIONARY ENGINES," TO CONSTRUCT, LAY DOWN, OPERATE AND MAINTAIN STREET RAILROADS AND RAILROAD TRACKS OVER AND ALONG THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED ROUTE IN THE TOWNSHIP OF OAKLAND, COUNTY OF ALAMEDA, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, TO WIT:

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DECLARING THE ABANDONMENT OF SAID RIGHT AND PRIVILEGE.

The Board of Supervisors of the County of Alameda do ordain as follows:

Section 1. WHEREAS, on the twenty-third day of October, 1905, the Oakland Traction Consolidated, a corporation, filed with the Board of Supervisors of the County of Alameda, State of California, a duly certified and attested copy of a resolution of the Board of Directors of said corporation, wherein and whereby said Oakland Traction Consolidated offered and does offer to voluntarily surrender and abandon to said County of Alameda all its right and privilege under the franchise hereinafter referred to, to construct, lay down, operate and maintain a street railroad and railroad tracks over and along the following described route in the Township of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, to wit:

COMMENCING at a point in Moraga or Piedmont Avenue near Mountain View Cemetery, distant Five hundred (500) feet more or less in a South-westerly direction from Vernal Avenue; running thence North-easterly along Moraga or Piedmont Avenue to Vernal Avenue; thence South-easterly along Vernal Avenue to May Avenue; thence South-westerly along May Avenue across Hillside Avenue; thence South-westerly across Peralta Avenue; thence South-westerly across Pleasant Valley Avenue; thence South-westerly across Linda Avenue to a point where the existing tracks of the Oakland Traction Consolidated leave said May Avenue (now known as Oakland Avenue) at or near the North-eastern line of Sunnyside Avenue;

Which said right and privilege was granted on the First day of July, 1889, to the Piedmont Cable Company, the grantor, assignor and predecessor in interest of said Oakland Traction Consolidated by an Ordinance of said Board of Supervisors, Number 18 and entitled "An Ordinance granting to the Piedmont Cable Company, its successors and assigns, a franchise and right to construct, lay down, operate and maintain street railroads and tracks on and across certain streets and avenues in the Township of Oakland, County of Alameda, and run cars thereon moving by gravity or propelled by wire ropes moved by stationary engines;"

The above described route being a portion of the route described in said Ordinance; and

WHEREAS, it is for the best interests of the County of Alameda to accept said proposed surrender and abandonment;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Alameda that the surrender and abandonment to said County of Alameda by said Oakland Traction Consolidated, a corporation, of all its right and privilege under the franchise granted by the aforesaid Ordinance to construct, lay down, operate and maintain a street railroad and railroad tracks over and along the above described route in the Township of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, and of its said franchise under which said right and privilege have been or now are used and exercised in so far as the said franchise relates to the above described route (which said route is a portion of the route described in said Ordinance), and not to any greater extent nor otherwise, be, and the same are hereby accepted; and that the said franchise in so far as it relates to the above described route shall be null and void and as though the same had never been granted, used or exercised, to the extent above stated, but that said franchise, as granted, used and exercised over the remaining portion of the route described in the Ordinance of the Board of Supervisors granting the same and hereinbefore referred to, be, and the same is hereby ratified and confirmed.

Section 2. This Ordinance shall not be construed to in any [illegible] County of Alameda other than said ordinance of said Board of Supervisors hereinabove referred to.

Section 3. This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force fifteen days after its passage, upon the publication thereof in accordance with law being made before the expiration of the said fifteen days.

Passed, adopted and approved by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Alameda this Twenty-seventh day of November, A. D. 1905, on motion of Supervisor Talcott, seconded by Supervisor Rowe, by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Horner, Kelley, Rowe, Talcott and Chairman Mitchell—5.

Noes: None.

Absent: None.

JOHN MITCHELL, Chairman.
Attest: JOHN P. COOK, Clerk.
(Seal)

NOTICE OF TIME SET FOR PROVING WILL, ETC.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of NANETTE STOEKLIEN, also known as Nanet Stoeklin, also known as Nanet Stocklin, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc. Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of Nanette Stoeklien, also known as Nanet Stoeklin, also known as Nanet Stocklin, deceased, and for the issuance to James Norman Elles of letters testamentary thereon, has been filed in this Court, and that Friday, the 22d day of Dec., A. D. 1905, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Courtroom of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in the County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated Dec. 11, 1905.
JOHN P. COOK, Clerk.
A. A. Rogers, Deputy Clerk.
GEO. E. DE GOLIA, Attorney for Petitioner.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION OF TIME APPOINTED FOR PROBATE OF WILL—C. C. P. Sec. 1303.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.—Probate.

In the matter of the estate of JACOB J. STAIGER, Deceased.

No. 10285.

Notice is hereby given that Monday, the 18th day of December, A. D. 1905, at 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, and the Courtroom of Department No. 4 of said Court at the Court House in the City of Oakland, have been appointed as the day and place for proving the will of said JACOB J. STAIGER, Deceased, and for hearing the application of Sarah Staiger for the issuance to her of Letters Testamentary thereon.

(SEAL.) JOHN P. COOK, Clerk.
By A. A. Rogers, Deputy Clerk.
Dated December 5, A. D. 1905.
Endorsed: Filed Dec. 5, 1905.
JOHN P. COOK, Clerk.
By A. A. Rogers, Deputy Clerk.
A. A. MOORE and STANLEY MOORE, Attorneys for Petitioner, Kohl Building, San Francisco.

NOTICE OF TIME FIXED FOR HEARING PETITION.

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda.

In the Matter of the Application of the First African Methodist Episcopal Church of Oakland for Leave to Borrow Money and Mortgage Its Property or Execute Its Deed of Trust as Security Therefor.

Notice of Time Fixed for Hearing Petition.

Notice is hereby given that the First African Methodist Episcopal Church of Oakland, a religious corporation, did, on the 8th day of December, 1905, file in the above entitled Court, its verified petition praying for leave to borrow the sum of $4000, and to execute its promissory note as evidence thereof, and to secure the payment of said note by a mortgage or deed of trust upon the church property situate in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point on the southern line of Fifteenth street, distant thereon one hundred and forty-four (144) feet three and one-half (3½) inches westerly from the present westerly line of West street, running thence at right angles southerly one hundred and three (103) feet nine (9) inches; thence at right angles easterly, and parallel with Fifteenth street fifty (50) feet; thence at right angles northerly one hundred and three (103) feet nine (9) inches to the southern line of Fifteenth street, and thence at right angles westerly along said southerly line of Fifteenth street to the point of commencement.

Being Lot 8 of Block "A" as per "Map of the property of the North Oakland Homestead Association," filed September 2, 1867, in Liber "X" of Deeds, Alameda County records, particular reference being made to a certain survey, No. 1648, made November 7th, 1883, T. W. Morgan, City Engineer, plat of which survey is on record in the Recorder's office of Alameda County, forming part of the deed of Sabina Maguire (widow) to Isaac Flood, J. W. Smith and John A. Wilds, and recorded with said deed November 13th, 1883, at page 56, Liber [illegible] of Deeds, records of Alameda County, and that Friday, the 15th day of December, 1905, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, at the Courtroom of Department No. 3 of said Superior Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, have been fixed as the time and place for hearing said petition, when and where any member of said corporation may appear and oppose the granting of the order prayed for in said petition, by affidavit or otherwise. Reference is hereby made to said petition on file herein for further particulars.

Dated December 8th, 1905.
JOHN P. COOK, Clerk.
By A. A. Rogers, Deputy Clerk.
REED, NUSBAUMER and [illegible], Attorneys for Petitioner.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

In accordance with the terms and under the authority of a certain deed of trust duly executed by Albert L. [illegible] the party of the first part, to Gustave [illegible] Landis and John S. DeLancey, trustees, parties of the second part, and [illegible] Lilley, the party of the third part, dated September 22nd, 1903, and recorded in the office of the County Recorder of the County of Alameda, State of California, in Liber 915 of Deeds at page 140 et seq., and in pursuance of a written demand made upon the undersigned by [illegible] Lilley, the holder of said note, to [illegible] the payment of which the aforesaid deed of trust was executed, declaring that default had been made in the payment of the interest and other sums due under said note and deed of trust, and requesting and directing the said Gustave [illegible] Landis and John S. DeLancey, trustees named in said deed of trust, to sell the real estate described therein to satisfy said indebtedness:

The undersigned, as said trustees, do hereby give notice that on Friday, the 15th day of December, 1905, at 12 o'clock noon of that day, at the auction salesrooms of J. A. Munro & Co., 1007 Clay street, in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, J. A. Munro will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash in gold coin of the United States, the piece or parcel of land situate in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, described as follows, to wit:

COMMENCING at a point on the northeastern line of East Eighteenth street, distant thereon fifty (50) feet northwesterly from the point of intersection thereof with the northwestern line of [illegible] avenue; running thence northwesterly along said line of East Eighteenth street thirty-three (33) feet; thence at right angles northeasterly one hundred [illegible] feet; thence at right angles southeasterly thirty-three (33) feet; thence at right angles southwesterly one hundred [illegible] feet to the said line of East Eighteenth street and point of commencement.

Together with the appurtenances.

Terms of sale: Cash in gold coin of the United States; ten per cent payable to the undersigned on the fall of the hammer, balance on delivery of deed, and if not so paid, the said ten per cent to be forfeited and the sale to be void.

The said party of the third part [illegible] in said deed of trust, [illegible]

Oakland Tribune.

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WANTED—Neat girl for general housework. 78 Lenox ave., opp. Van Buren st., Adams Point. Phone Oakland 6231. e

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WANTED—For general housework, neat competent girl; good wages. Apply 810 14th st. e

GIRL for general housework; must be a good cook. Call 576 Albion. e

YOUNG girl wanted to assist in light housekeeping and take care of baby. Apply 1129 San Pablo ave. e

WANTED—A girl in the country to do general housework; no washing; wages $20; call evenings. 1044 Magnolia, cor. 12th st. e

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WANTED—Neat second girl. 1074 12th st.; phone Oakland 2361. e

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WANTED—Middle aged woman for cook and general housework; for family of three. 1002 East 30th st. e

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YOUNG man, 18, living with parents, wants work in Oakland. Address Box 364, Tribune office. g

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JAPANESE girl and boy want situations as help in cooking or housework. Phone Oakland 4236, 828 Broadway. h

POSITION wanted by competent, experienced ladies' nurse, or invalid's housekeep; small family; German woman. 613 9th. h

YOUNG man, 18, living with parents, wants work in Oakland. Address Box 364, Tribune office. h

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IF YOUR billiard or pool table needs repairing, it pays to notify [illegible] now located at 878 [illegible]

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The St. Paul

528 12th st., corner Clay—Newly and finely furnished rooms and offices; elevator; tourists by day or week; free baths. Mrs. A. Larson, prop.; phone Oakland 909. n

LARGE, sunny, front room; sunny side; 278 9th; suitable for 2 ladies or 1 gentleman; use of bath; references. n

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FOR RENT—Nice front room; suitable for 1 or 2 gentlemen; bath; electric light. 621 16th st. n

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NICELY furnished front room with piano for a gentleman; private family; no other roomers; call evenings. 558½ 7th st., near Clay. n

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FRONT parlor, furnished room; sunny all day; block from high school; private family; snap at price asked. 726 11th st., lower flat. n

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THE PACIFIC HOUSE—869 Washington st.; large and small, sunny, furnished front bay window rooms and housekeeping; gas; phone; $7 up. n

ONE furnished bed-room in private family, no children; no other roomers. 492 23d, near Telegraph ave. n

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NICELY furnished housekeeping suites; $10 up; phone; bath; laundry. 1215 San Pablo. n

BEAUTIFUL large sunny room and grate with board; suitable for two and also 3 sunny housekeeping rooms. 678 17th. n

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SUNNY room; room in private family; transients. 1018 Jefferson st., opp. park. n

LARGE, sunny, front room; suitable for man and wife or 2 gentlemen; also day boarders. 586 22d. n

PALMER HOUSE, 1241 Broadway—Furnished rooms, also housekeeping rooms.

NEWLY furnished rooms; phone, gas, bath; sunny; desirable. 578 16th. n

$7—SUNNY rooms suitable for 1 or 2 gentlemen; use of bath and gas. 867 Grove st., bet. 7th and 8th sts. n

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Ninth and Washington; elegant rooms; single or en suite; special rates to families, travelers and transients; American or European plan. n

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TWO sunny unfurnished rooms near Broadway station; $5 per month. 837 Clay st. m

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$32.50—Fine, modern, up-to-date flat of 6 rooms and bath; in perfect condition; close to town, school and local trains.
$32.50—Modern flats; 201 13th st.; 6 rooms and bath; in Lakeside district; worth your while to investigate.
$20.00—Modern, upper flat, 6 rooms and bath; 1 block to local station and a few blocks of town; key at office.
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460-462 8th st. Oakland, Cal.

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COTTAGE of 5 nicely furnished rooms for rent. 869 26th. 1

FOR RENT—7-room cottage with bath and modern plumbing. 779 8th st., cor. West; $30. 1

COTTAGE of 4 rooms to rent in Laurel Grove, Fruitvale. Owner will exchange rent for table board. 1

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BEAUTIFUL home; 10 rooms and bath; fine order; 1166 10th st., near Adeline st.; rent reduced; key 1162. 1

HOUSE of 7 rooms, bath, toilet, etc.; water free; upstairs; rent $14; sun all day; good yard. 1808 Grove st.; key down stairs.

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$65—COMPLETELY furnished house; 9 rooms and bath in Lakeside District; 4 blocks from 13th and Broadway; will rent from 1 to 4 months. Geo. W. Austin, 1002 Broadway. o

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FURNISHED room with board; gentlemen only. 18N53 Castro st., cor. 17th. q

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BOARD and sunny room in a private family. 610 17th st. q

LARGE, sunny room, with board. Cor. 14th and Castro sts., 1203 Castro. q

NEWLY furnished rooms; phone; steam heat; gas; home cooking; table boarders accommodated. Mrs. S. Wiener, 1353 Grove, N. W. cor. 17th. q

ROOMS with board; private family; 4 minutes' walk to both trains; Lakeside district. Box 277 Tribune office. q

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HOUSES AND ROOMS WANTED.

WANTED—2 or 3 unfurnished rooms or small flat cheap and close in. Box 566 Tribune office. 1

WANTED—Well furnished house, 7 to 9 rooms; must be 4 bed-rooms; handy to Key Route station. Chas. F. Burks, 468 11th st. 1

WANTED—Nicely furnished cottage or house (preferable to flat), 4 to 6 rooms; must be sunny and well situated. Box 557 Tribune. 1

WANTED—To rent 4 or 5-room furnished cottage with bath; reasonable. Address 214 Union Savings Bank Bldg., Oakland. 1

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WANTED—To purchase a 6-room house with 3 bed rooms for $5000 or less; cash payment $500, balance in installments.
Wanted—To rent a modern 7 or 8-roomed house; preferably on the Heights.
Wanted—For an Eastern party wishing to locate in Oakland; some paying business; involving $4000 cash or less; groceries or cigars preferred. Report immediately.
W. E. BARNARD, 476 10TH. 1

WANTED—To buy a 6-roomed house with 3 bed rooms for $3000; cash $500, balance in monthly payments.
Wanted—To rent a 7-roomed house; modern; preferably on elevated ground.
Wanted—An Eastern man wishing to locate in Oakland; is ready to spend $4000 in some profitable business; preferably groceries or cigars.
Wanted—To make somebody happy by offering him or her desirable investments; either in land, loans, stock or bonds; as a conservative investment the very best, because sure and permanent; Turlock or Modesto irrigation bonds at par.
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WANTED—3 unfurnished rooms for housekeeping in mile circle with stable, room for 1 horse and buggy; private family. Box 281 Tribune. 1

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1056 Washington st. u

5-ROOM sunny flat and bath to let. 546 20th st., bet. San Pablo and Telegraph.

SEVEN rooms; lower flat; first-class condition; rent only $25; no small children. 764 16th st.

FOR RENT—Brand new 4-room flat; strictly modern; 3 coats hard wall plaster; delicately tinted; floors polished and filled; gas and electricity in every room; open plumbing; fine yard; terraced lawn; flowers; full basement; close in; 10 minutes' walk; sun all day; choice neighborhood; price $18. Owner, 1403 Chestnut; phone Oakland 3169.

FLAT 5 rooms; bath; gas; hot water; $15. 1314 12th av.; 5 minutes East Oakland local.

FOR RENT—4 rooms and bath; flat; rent $12; also 3 rooms and bath; modern and sunny; $11.00; no children. Enquire 53d and Grove sts. 1

FOR RENT—Flat of 7 rooms, gas, bath, etc. 859 Harrison st.

FOR RENT—Flat of 5 large rooms, bath and gas. 681 5th st., cor. Castro.

NICE sunny flat; 4 rooms; bath; $11. 731 26th st., east of San Pablo ave.

1715½ and 1713 12TH ST.—New 5-room modern upper flat; gas and electric lights; rent $16 and $18. Apply 1711 12th st.

$17—INCLUDING telephone, coal and gas stoves; 3 furnished rooms; upper flat; 216 11th bet. Jackson and Alice; too small for children.

TO LET—Sunny upper flat; 5 rooms and bath; $18. 855 20th st. 1

1715½ 12TH ST.—New 5-room modern upper flat; gas and electric lights; rent $18. Apply 1711 12th st.

FOR RENT—Upper flat 5 very sunny rooms, bath, large yard, $12. Inquire at 1265 Cypress st., nr 16th st.

FOR RENT—Upper flat modern and new; 7 rooms and bath; keys 961 10th; $30; Market St. Station.

FURNISHED FLATS TO LET.

FURNISHED upper flat; 4 rooms; bath; gas range. 715 13th st.

NICELY furnished 5-room flat. 485 23d st., near Telegraph ave. Call Sunday, between 9 a. m. and 5 p. m. n

$17—INCLUDING telephone, coal and gas stoves; 3-room upper flat; furnished. 216 11th, bet. Jackson and Alice; too small for children.

APARTMENT, 4 rooms and bath; elegantly furnished for housekeeping; modern and sunny; adults. 658 8th st. The "Mentone."

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FOR SALE—At a great sacrifice, owner leaving city, beautiful well-built shingle, six-room bungalow; extra large rooms; best residence street in Fruitvale; all modern and up-to-date; a home of artistic merit; lawn and garden; open fireplace; lot 50x125; rooms all light; two toilets, gas, phone, electric light, etc.; sun in every room; entire mission finish; Wilton velvet carpets, rugs, etc., mission furniture, all completely furnished in every detail included if desired; the whole to be sold at a special low price; house will be sold alone if furnishings are not desired. Address owner, Box 199 Tribune. u

FOR SALE—Beautiful home; 9-room colonial cottage on one floor; modern open plumbing; sunny side of street; fine neighborhood; walking distance to local trains and business center; built for a home; will sell furniture if desired; or rent furnished; terms can be arranged. Owner, 1223 Adeline st. o

FOR SALE—Bargain, $2900; new and modern 6-room house; 3 blocks from Grove Key Route Station; particulars at 3646 West st., cor. Apgar. s

FOR SALE—New 6-room house; strictly modern; 3 coats hard wall plaster; delicately tinted; floors polished and filled; gas and electricity in every room; open plumbing; fine yard; flowers; terraced lawn; full basement; close in; 10 minutes' walk; sun all day; choice neighborhood; a snap, $3500. Owner, 1403 Chestnut; Phone Oakland 3169.

FOR SALE—6 and 7-room houses on 6th ave. and 19th st.; small payment down; balance in monthly payments to suit purchasers; these buildings are perfect in all their appointments; up-to-date in every particular; any one wishing residence can secure most favorable terms on this property; also two 5-room cottages on the north side of Ward street, between Grove and Grant sts.; price, $2800; $300 first payment, balance on installments at 6 per cent; street work all completed, and everything up to date and in first-class order. See C. H. Jones, at the State Savings Bank, Oakland, Cal. s

FOR SALE

$10,000—House; 15 rooms; 12th st.
6,500—House; 11 rooms; Linden st.
6,500—House; 12 rooms; Jackson st.
5,000—Flat; rents for $43; Kirkham st.
4,750—House; 8 rooms; Valdez st.
800—Cottage; 5 rooms; Union st.

H. MUHR,
967 Broadway. u

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FOR SALE—Reasonable, 11-room house; furnished and all rooms occupied by men. Apply 961 Clay st.

TWO nice houses, right in town, 14 and 18 rooms; good furniture and carpets. Owner, 566 10th st.

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LODGING HOUSES FOR SALE.

$2300—35 rms, house long lease; rent $140.
$1800—15 rms, sunny corner; rent $40.
$800—14 rms. clears $40; rent $45.
$600—14 rms.; nice yard, lease; rent $35.
60-room Hotel at a bargain; see this.
I have all kinds of business chances; cigar stands and grocery stores that are doing good business; call and see my list.

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468 8th St. Oakland, 1990.

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FOUND—3 cows; 1 large red and 1 half Jersey and 1 young calf at cor. 36th and Market, Sunday 10th. Call at 915 36th. r

LOST—Wednesday evening from Telegraph ave. car; purse containing sum of money; reward if returned to 1361 13th st. r

LOST—1 pair gold bowed spectacles in cases; marked Sigwart's Jewelry Store; on 27th st, near Telegraph. Address Box 566 Tribune. r

LOST—Scotch Collie; color tawny with white neck. Address 468 Oakland ave.; Phone Oakland 5714. r

LOST—Gold stick pin with pearls; bet. 9th and Madison and Broadway; reward if returned to 962 Madison st. r

LOST—On the 7th st. local train leaving Oakland pier for Oakland, 5:01 p. m., Dec. 11th, pocketbook containing a sum of money and S. P. pass; leave at Oakland Pier Office or 1170 7th st., and receive suitable reward. r

LOST—Saturday afternoon on or near 14th and Broadway, ladies' gold watch; monogram L. E. D., with silver coin fob; reward. A. W. Clement, 1172 Broadway. r

REWARD—Will the party who took valuables from 566 16th st., Oakland, please return same; liberal reward and no questions. r

LOST—White bull, bitch, Nov. 30th; reward. Return to 3760 Latimer place, off Moss ave. r

LOST—Razor, imitation tortoise handle; bet. Adeline and 2d and Grove; reward. Return to 1451 Adeline. r

LOST—Gold bead necklace; keepsake; reward. Return to 476 37th. r

LOST—Black feather boa; Twelfth and Broadway; reward. Return to Tribune office. r

LOST—On Nov. 27th, a silver mounted umbrella with initials C. H. S.; finder will be rewarded by returning same to the Tribune office. r

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LOST—Purse, bet. Unitarian Church and Jefferson st., Monday, containing gold glasses and a little change; please return purse and glasses to the Albany Hotel and keep the money. r

BUSINESS CHANCES.

GOOD paying butter and egg route for sale. Address Box 563 Tribune office. w

FOR SALE—Home bakery, delicatessen and vegetable store; good trade; a bargain if taken at once; cheap rent. Box 549 Tribune. w

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FOR SALE—Bargain; a small business; cheap rent; good location; call at once. 411 11th st. Only $75 required; Phone Oakland 5019. w

MANUFACTURER OF HIGH CLASS, exclusive, monopoly goods, desires exclusive agent for Alameda county; $3000 goods consigned, with established business running; requirement, good credentials and $1000 capital. Room 6, 961 Broadway. w

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A down town cottage in good condition, on 5th st., near Brush; owner wants to sell; may take less.

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Here is another which owner says "get offer," near East 22d st., and 23d ave., new, 7 rooms and bath, with lot 50x140; Go and look at it anyway, you may want it.

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A new story and one half house; 8 rooms and bath; very large dining room; lot 30x125; street work and sidewalk all included; near the terminus of the Piedmont Key Route.

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A splendid 8-room house on Walsworth ave., with a lot 32x112; owner wishes to sell at once; mortgage of $25,000 cash can remain.

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This beautiful new 6-room house on Vernon Heights with lot 38x120; is a very choice home with splendid view; Can arrange terms if wished.

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$5250—304 ft. on north side of street, almost at the door of the Piedmont Key Route station; we can sell cottages in this location; see us for terms.

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Telephone Oakland 386.

FOR SALE—Bungalow, 3 barns, 8 lots; bet. 2 car lines. Mrs. C. J. Butler, 24th ave., nr. 27th st., Fruitvale.

$450—LOT 30x130; sewered and graded; near 40th and Telegraph; easy terms.
$750—33 1-3x115; Edwards street; street work complete.
$1600—Cottage; almost new; Piedmont; $350 cash; balance $15 per month.
$2000—Brand new cottage; on north side with street work complete; very modern; terms $200 cash; balance $20 per month.
$2400—House of 5 rooms; bath, gas and electricity; brick foundation; lot 50x100; on 34th st., near Grove; easy terms; buy direct from owner.
PERCY L. BLISS,
428 10th St. Tel. Oakland 886. u

$37.50 PER FOOT—Lots on Imperial Heights; cement walks; sewer; macadamized streets; no agents. Box 536 Tribune. u

FOR SALE—Cheap—Nicely furnished sunny flat, 7 rooms; 3 rooms rented pay rent; can be seen bet. 1 and 3 p. m. 886 Jefferson st. u

FURNISHED front room to rent; use of bath and phone. 277 Tel. ave., near 19th.

FOR SALE—Two 7-room houses; also 15 good building lots; close to Fairview and Claremont Park; north and south fronts; will finish to suit buyer; 2 blks. from Key Route; 2 blks. fm. Telegraph; ½ blk. to Alcatraz ave. See owner, Wm. H. Stewart, North st., near Colby, Oakland.

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$100—A GOOD ONE AND A HALF story building, 16x12; only three years old; [illegible]

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Furnished house and lot in GOLDFIELD, NEVADA; now rented $75 per month, no lease; this is a good investment See us

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POINT LOBOS, Dec. 13, 10 p. m—Weather, clear; wind, northeast; velocity, 6 miles.

U. S. COAST AND GEODETIC SURVEY. Time and Heights of High and Low Waters at Fort Point, entrance to San Francisco bay. By official authority of the Superintendent.

NOTE.—The high and low waters occur at the city front (Mission street wharf) about twenty-five minutes later than at Fort Point; the height of tides is the same at both places.

DECEMBER 14 TO 20.

Date	H W A M	Ft.	L W A M	Ft.	H W P M	Ft.	L W P M	Ft.
14	2:00	4.5	6:16	3.0	11:56	5.5	7:09	-0.4
15	2:39	4.6	7:06	3.0	12:39	5.3	7:51	-0.2
16	3:20	4.7	8:06	3.1	1:32	5.1	8:38	0.1
17	4:01	4.8	9:14	3.0	2:38	4.7	9:28	0.5
18	4:47	5.0	10:28	2.6	3:55	4.3	10:25	0.9
19	5:32	5.2	11:40	2.1	5:28	4.0	11:29	1.3
20	6:16	5.4	12:40	1.5	6:51	4.0	..:..	..

DECEMBER 14.

Sun Rises......7:17 | Sun Sets......4:53

NOTE.—In the above tabulation of tides the daily tides are given in the order of their occurrence, commencing with the early morning tide in the left-hand tide column, and the succeeding tides as they occur, the usual fourth tide occurring the following morning.

The column of heights gives the elevation of each tide above or below the plane of Coast Survey Chart Soundings. The numbers are always additive to the chart depths unless preceded by the minus sign or dash (-), when the numbers are subtractive from depths given on the chart.

MOVEMENTS OF STEAMERS

Steamers due and to sail today and for the next six days are as follows:

DEPART.

Steamers. For—	Sail.
F A Kilburn—Portland and way ports	Dec. 15
Manchuria—Hongking, via Honolulu and Yokohama	Dec. 16
Queen—Victoria, Puget Sound and Alaska	Dec. 16
City of Panama—New York, via Ancon	Dec. 16
Coos Bay—San Pedro and way ports	Dec. 16
Corona—Eureka, Arcata, etc.	Dec. 16
M F. Plant—Coos Bay and Port Orford	Dec. 16
Pomo—Point Arena and Albion	Dec. 16
Homer—Astoria and Portland	Dec. 16
Santa Rosa—San Diego and way ports	Dec. 17
Columbia—Astoria and Portland	Dec. 18
North Fork—Eureka, Arcata, etc.	Dec. 18
Del Norte—Crescent City	Dec. 18
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Pomona—Eureka, Arcata, etc.	Dec. 10
Breakwater—Coos Bay	Dec. 19
Bonita—Newport, San Pedro, etc.	Dec. 20
Brunswick—Fort Bragg	Dec. 20
Sea Foam—Mendocino and Point Arena	Dec. 20
Arctic—Eureka, Arcata, etc.	Dec. 20
Centralia—Gray's Harbor	Dec. 20

ARRIVE.

Steamers. From—	Due
North Fork—Eureka, Arcata, etc.	Dec 15
Columbia—Portland and Astoria	Dec. 15
Coronado—Gray's Harbor	Dec. 15
San Juan—New York, via Ancon	Dec. 16
City of Puebla—Alaska, Puget Sound and Victoria	Dec. 17
Pomona—Eureka, Arcata, etc.	Dec. 17
Sea Foam—Mendocino and Point Arena	Dec 17
Bonita—Newport, San Pedro, etc.	Dec. 17
Eureka—Eureka, Arcata, etc.	Dec. 17
Arctic—Eureka, Arcata, etc.	Dec. 17
Breakwater—Coos Bay	Dec. 17
Sea Foam—Mendocino and Point Arena	Dec. 17
Brunswick—Fort Bragg	Dec. 17
Rainier—Seattle and Bellingham	Dec. 17
Arctic—Eureka, Arcata, etc.	Dec. 17
State of California—San Diego and way ports	Dec 18
Alameda—Honolulu	Dec. 19
Cascade—Portland and Astoria	Dec. 19
Mariposa—Tahiti	Dec. 20
Senator—Portland and Astoria	Dec. 20
Corona—Eureka, Arcata, etc.	Dec. 20
Aurelia—Portland and Astoria	Dec. 20
Nevadan—Honolulu and Kahului, via Seattle	Dec. 20
Pentaur — Hamburg and way ports	Dec. 20

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Stmr Maggie, Corning, 4 hours from Halfmoon Bay.

Stmr Coos Bay, Nicolson, 56 hours from San Pedro and way ports.

Stmr Fulton, Panzer, 30 hours from Eureka

Stmr Greenwood, Dorwin, 16 hours from Mendocino.

Stmr Eureka, Golightly, 65 hours from Astoria.

Stmr Chehalis, Johnsson, 70 hours from Gray's Harbor.

Stmr Newsboy, Johnson; 13 hours from Bowen's Landing.

Stmr Elizabeth, Jensen, 49 hours from Bandon.

Stmr F A Kilburn, Merriam, 74 hours from Astoria, via Coos Bay 45 hours, via Eureka 20 hours.

Stmr Prentiss, Schillinsky, 25 hours from Eureka.

Stmr Maggie, Corning, 4 hours from Halfmoon Bay.

Schr Winslow, Hutton, 12 days from Columbia River.

Schr Santiago, Anderson, 13 hours from Monterey.

CLEARED FROM SAN FRANCISCO.

Ger stmr Denderah, Jansen, Hamburg, via Comox.

Stmr State of California, Thomas, San Diego and way ports

Stmr Costa Rica, Kidston, Portland.

Stmr Pomona, Swanson, Eureka.

SAILED FROM SAN FRANCISCO.

U S stmr Daniel Manning, Roberts, Honolulu.

Stmr Arctic, Nelson, Eureka.

Stmr Maggie, Corning Halfmoon Bay.

Stmr Senator, Lloyd, Portland.

Stmr Aberdeen, Ahlstrom, Gray's Harbor.

Stmr W H Kruger, ——, Fort Bragg.

Stmr Pomona, Swanson, Eureka.

Stmr Redondo, Ahlin, Portland.

Stmr Vanguard, Odland, Eureka.

Stmr Chehalis, Johnsson, San Pedro.

Stmr Sea Foam, Miller, Mendocino

Stmr Brunswick, Ellefsen, Fort Bragg

Stmr Centralia, Ericsson, San Pedro.

Schr Monterey, Berg, Moterey, in tow of tug Relief.

Schr Corinthian, Maloney, Eureka.

Schr Rio Rey, Crangle, Bowen's Landing.

PRODUCE MARKET

FLOUR AND CEREALS.

FLOUR—Net cash, Family Extra, $4.80 @$5.10 per bbl; Bakers' Extra, $4.70@ $4.90; Oregon and Washington, $3.80@ $4.60.

WHEAT—No. 1 Shipping, per ctl, $1.37½@1.40; inferior grades, $1.20@1.35; White Milling, good to choice, $1.40@ $1.42½, and $1.45 for fair.

BARLEY—Choice No. 1 Feed, $1.17½@ $1.20; some fancy grades up to $1.21¼; common to fair, $1.15@1.16¼; inferior grades, $1 10@1.13¾; Shipping and Brewing, $1 23¾@1.27½; Chevalier, nominal.

OATS—Good to choice White, $1 35@ 1 47½, Red, $1.50@1.62½ for choice to fancy; $1.25@1.40 for common to fair; Black, for seed, $1.60@1.75; lower grades, $1 25@1 55.

CORN—Good to choice, per ctl: California, new, large, Yellow, $1 32½@1 35; small, do, $1.55@1 65; small do, $1.60@ $1.65; White, $1.40@1.45; Eastern, Yellow, $1 40@1.42½; White, $1.32½; Mixed, $1.35@1.40.

RYE—Good to choice, per ctl, nominal; new, $1.45@1 52½.

DAIRY PRODUCTS.

BUTTER—Fresh California extra, 29½c, firm; firsts, 26½c, firm; seconds, 22½c, firm; thirds, nominal.

Eastern Extras, 25½c, steady; firsts, 24c, steady; other grades, nominal; Ladies, extras, 20c, steady; firsts, 19c, steady; other grades, nominal.

Storage—California extras, 25c, firm; firsts, 23½c, firm; Eastern extras, 24½c, firm; firsts, 23½c, firm; Ladies, extras, 20c, firm; firsts, 19½c, firm.

EGGS—Fresh California Ranch, selected, 54c, steady; firsts, 45c, steady; seconds, 30c, steady; thirds, 27c, steady. California Store, nominal.

Eastern—Nominal

Storage—California, extras, 28½c, firm; firsts, 25c, steady; seconds, 23½c, steady; California Store, selected, 24c, steady; firsts, 23c, steady; Eastern, selected, 24½c, steady; firsts, 23½c, steady.

CHEESE — New California, fancy, 14½c, steady; firsts, 13½c, firm; seconds, 12@12½c, firm; Young America, fancy, 15c, firm; firsts, 14c, firm; seconds, 13c, firm

Eastern—Cheddars, 15½c, firm; Flats, 16c, firm.

Western—Cheddars, 14c; firm; Twins, 14½c, firm.

Storage—California, fancy, 13½c, firm; firsts, 12½c, firm; Young America, 14c, firm; Eastern, new, 15c, steady.

HAY AND FEEDSTUFFS.

HAY—Per ton: Wheat, $11@16.50; Wheat and Oat, $10@16; Oat, $9@13; Barley, $8@11; Clover, $7@10; Alfalfa, $6.50@9 50; Stock, $5@7

FEED CORN MEAL—Choice grades, per ton, $30@30.50.

STRAW—Good to choice, per bale, 30@ 55c.

FEED—Mixed Feed, per ton, $24@25; Alfalfa Meal, $22.50; carload lots, $21; Mealfalfa, per ton, $20, carload lots, $18.

BRAN—Per ton, $21@22.

MIDDLINGS—Per ton, $27.50@29.

GROUND BARLEY—Per ton, $25@26.

CRACKED CORN—Choice stock, per ton, $30.50@31.

COCOANUT CAKE—In lots of 10 tons, $21; 5 tons, $21.50; less quantity, $22. Prices are mill rates and are subject to change without notice.

EASTERN.

CHICAGO, December 13.—No. 1 Flaxseed, 96½c; No. 1 Northwestern, $1.03; Prime Timothy Seed, $3.30.

POULTRY AND GAME.

POULTRY—Old Roosters, per doz, $4.50 @5; young Roosters, $5.50@6 50; Fryers, $5@5.50; Broilers, $3.50@4.50; Hens, small $4.50@5; large, $6@6.50; Live Turkeys, per lb, 19@20c; Dressed Turkeys, 21c@ 25c; Ducks, old, $5@5.50; young, $5.50@7; Geese, per pair, $2@2.25; Goslings, $2.25 @$2.50; Pigeons, per doz, old, $1@1.50; young Pigeons, $2@2.50.

GAME—Per doz: Ducks, Canvasback, $2@3; Mallard, $2.50@3; Sprig, $2@2; Gray Ducks, $1.75; Widgeons, $1.25@1 50; Teal, $1; Red Heads, $1.50@2; small Ducks, $1.25; Brant, $1@1.50; Geese, gray, $2.50; white, $1@1.25; Honkers, $2.50@4; Rabbits, Cottontail, $2.75; Brush, $1.25; Hare, $2.25.

POTATOES AND VEGETABLES.

VEGETABLES—Tomatoes, per box, Bay, 65@85c; Southern, box or crate, 75c @$1.25; Green Peppers, Southern, per lb, Chile, 4@6c; Bell, 10@12½c; Beans, per lb, Green, 8@10c; do, Wax, 9@11c; Lima, 8@10c; Green Peas, per lb, 6@7c; Cucumbers, per box, 75c@$1.25; Summer Squash, per box, Southern, 90c@$1; Egg Plant, Southern, per crate, $2; Garlic, per lb, 5@6½c; Marrowfat and Hubbard Squash, per ton, $25@30.

POTATOES—Per ctl: River Burbanks, 50@75c; Salinas Burbanks, $1.10@1.40; Oregon Burbanks, 85c@$1.10; Sweet Potatoes, Merced, 60c@[illegible].

ONIONS—Per sk, Yellow, $1.30@1.40.

FRESH FRUITS.

DECIDUOUS FRUITS — Apples, per box, extra, $1.50@1.75; fancy, $1.25@1.50; common to choice, [illegible]; Lady Apples, [illegible] other varieties, $1@1 35

Table Grapes—Per small box or crate, 75c@$1.25

Persimmons—Per box, 50c@$1.

BERRIES—Strawberries—Per chest, $4 @6, as to variety.

Cranberries—Cape Cod, per bbl, $16; Oregon, per box, nominal.

CITRUS FRUITS—Per doz: Oranges, Navels, fancy, $1 75@2.50; choice, $1.50@ $1.75; standard, $1@1 50, as to size; Seedlings, 75c@$1.25, Lemons, $1.25@3; Limes, $4@4 50; Grape Fruit, $1 25@2 50; Tangerines, $1@1.25, Japanese Mandarins, $1.25@1.50.

TROPICAL FRUITS — Bananas, per bunch, Hawaiian, $1@2.25, Bluefields, $1.75@2.50, Pineapples, per doz, Hawaiian, $3@4; do Mexican, $5@6; Dates, Fard, per lb, 6@7c, do Golden, 4½@5c; Smyrna, per box, 15@16c.

RETAIL MARKETS

DAIRY PRODUCTS—Butter, square, 50c, or 2-lb square, 65c Eggs—Fresh Ranch, 60c, Eastern, 35c. Cheese—California, 20@25c.

VEGETABLES—Potatoes, Irish, 1½@2c pound; Sweet, 3c; Cabbage, 5c head; Carrots, 10c doz, Summer Squash, 5c lb; Eggplant, 7c lb, String Beans, 10c; Garlic, 15c lb; Onions, 3@5c lb; Celery, 5c bunch; Lettuce, 20c doz; Green Peppers, 20c doz.

FRUITS—Apples, $1@1 50 box; Oranges, 20@60c doz; Lemons, 15@20c doz; Grape Fruit, 70c@$1 doz; Limes, 15c doz; Bananas, 25c doz; Pineapples, 35@50c each; Apples, 3@5c per lb; Figs, 20c.

BERRIES — Strawberries, 40@60c; Blackberries, 30c; Raspberries, 10c per basket.

POULTRY — Turkeys, 30c; Domestic Ducks, $1.50@2 pair; Hens, 75c@$1 each; Roosters, young, 65c@$1 each; Fryers, 50 @75c each; Broilers, 50@60c each; Pigeons, 30c each; Squabs, 25@35c each.

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Rib Steak	3 lbs. [illegible]
Beef Roast	8c
Beef to Boil	5c, 6o and 7c
Round Steak	10c
Loin Steak	12½c
Porter House	15c
Mutton Chops	8c
Shoulder Lamb	8c
Legs Veal	11c
Legs Mutton	10c
Pork Steak	11c
Pork Roast	10c
Sausages	3 lbs. for 25c
Prime Rib Roast	12½c

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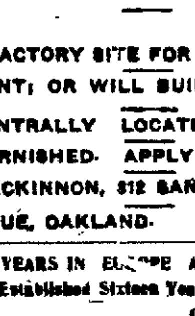

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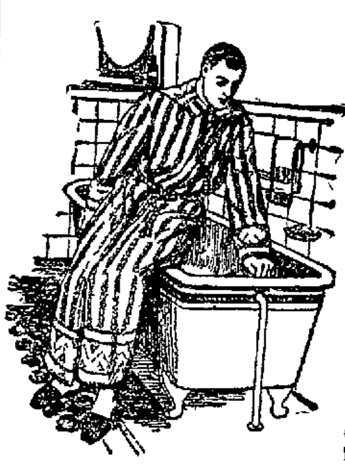
For Holiday Gifts for the Male Members

OF THE FAMILY



Bath Robes

We have supplied a most creditable line of bath robes for the holiday gift season. A great variety of tasty designs made up in comfortable and durable materials—

$3.50 to $10.00

President Suspenders

These well-known Suspenders decorated single boxes, all new shades Regular price, 50c Holiday Price 35c per box Suspenders beautifully boxed, entirely new ideas

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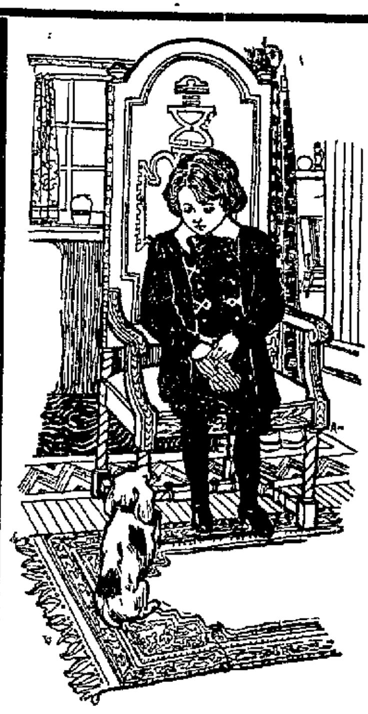
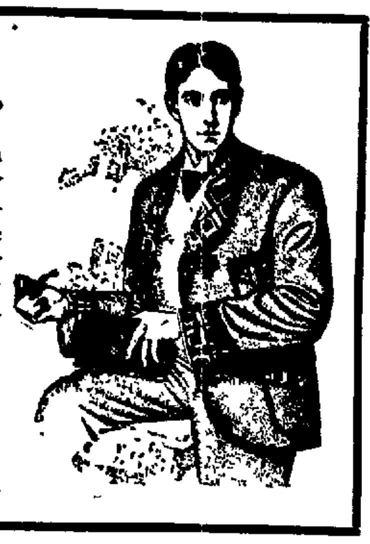


Dress Suit Case

Our Special $5.00 Leather Dress Suit Case would make a practical gift. We have here for your inspection

Special Ideas for Gift Givers

Smoking Jackets



No happier selection can be made for a holiday gift for the father, brother or sweetheart than one of our beautiful Smoking Jackets. Its practicability and comfort leave a lasting remembrance of the donor's thoughtfulness. Our line for this season abounds in rich materials and color effects—

$3.95 to $15.00

Holiday Footwear

Here are some money-saving prices; we want you to visit this new Department; our assortment of Slippers is the largest in town.

Men's and Boys' alligator and velvet embroidered Slippers; our Special Holiday Price

45c

Men's Kid Slippers in tan or black, a good, serviceable Slipper; any man will appreciate a pair, our Special Holiday Price

$1.45

Boys' Wax Calf, double soles, School Shoes, built for strenuous wear—

Sizes 9 to 13½	$1.15
Sizes 1 to 5½	$1.45

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A sensible and suitable Christmas gift—

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Boys' Clothing

makes sensible Christmas gifts

Reefers, 2½ to 10, in gray, tan, red and blue—

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Buster Suits, 2½ to 7, in fancy cheviots and serges—

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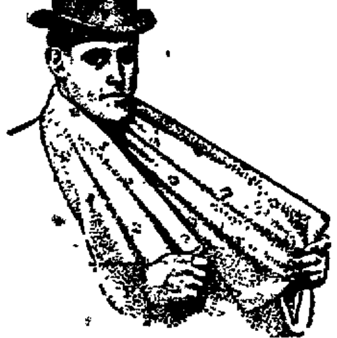

Fancy Vests

The wealth of variety and beauty of these goods cannot be described—

$1.00 to $5.00

Mufflers and Handkerchiefs

Mufflers are much in demand as holiday gifts for men, inasmuch as the cold days incidental to the holiday season make this a happy and practical offering.

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Men's and Boys' Handkerchiefs, colored borders

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Japanette Handkerchiefs of a new material that is as soft and almost as desirable as silk

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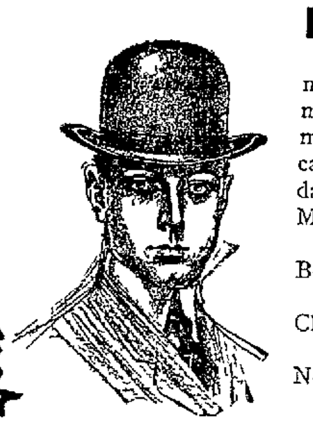


Hats and Caps

In our hat department you will find many of the latest models in hats and caps—popular holiday gifts

Men's Hats $1 00 to $5.00.

Boys' Norfolk Caps 19c.

Children's sailor and auto caps 45c.

Novelty Caps for Children, 50c to $2.00.

Shirts

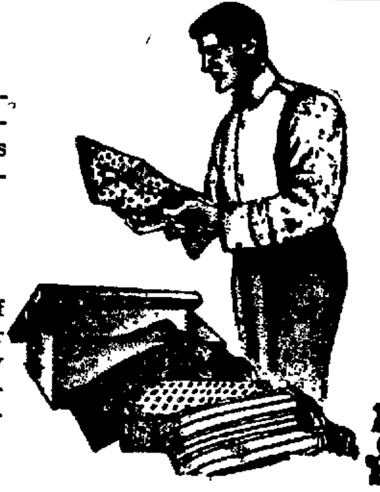
We have assembled a most excellent line of Shirts for the holiday selections—

65c to $2.50

Neckwear

A great variety of attractive color treatments and tasty designs has reinforced our Neckwear exhibit—

25c to $1.50



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POLITICS UPON MILITARY

INFLUENCE OF ORGANIZATIONS UPON DISCIPLINE OF OUR ARMIES.

NEW YORK Dec 14—Lieutenant Colonel James S Pettit formerly Secretary in the Military Department at Washington, and at present Military Instructor in the District of Columbia read a thesis yesterday before the Military Service Institution at Governors Island on 'How Far Does Democracy Affect the Organization and Discipline of Our Armies and How Can Its Influence be Most Effectually Utilized?

Colonel Pettit dealt at length with the subject the general trend of his argument being that the influence of politics upon the military of this country was baneful The speaker said in part

The great conquerors of the world have been monarchs wielding practically unlimited powers

'When the military commander is the ruler of the nation as well he is the Court of Last Appeal and secures that unity of command and control of resources so vital to the successful organization the discipline and campaigning of armies The further we depart from those principles the weaker we become.

"On the other hand Democracies, as a rule represent peace They do not respond to the personal ambitions of an individual, nor are they readily drawn into schemes for territorial aggrandizement involving war Their proper military policy, therefore, is preparation for defense

'The Speaker of the House is the most powerful official of the government next to the President and he may even thwart the desires of the latter He is the real Czar The average member of Congress has about as much influence on the course of the House as a doe at a council of elephants The vote of Congress represents its political opinions instead of its personal beliefs The abolishing of the canteen is an illustration of the fact that even in times of peace, legislation for the army comes out of the hopper greased with the slimy oil of political spoils and party expediency, unredeemed by the salt of honest manly independence and belief as to the right and justice of the cause and the needs of the country

We are of sanguine temperament We believe in our star, we regard the law lightly we place thousands of laws on the statute books but are lax in enforcing them These qualities in the military service make rigid discipline impossible Deserters, sentinels asleep on post, and guerrillas should be shot but with us the penalty is rarely exacted

'Our patriotism is largely of the lip That true patriotism which regards the country as the home to be cherished and protected within and from without even at personal sacrifice, is not as common as it should be It is constantly being diluted by the accession of foreigners who are pleased to style themselves German or Irish-Americans, as though they desired to serve two masters

"Our country's flag is at the mercy of any vender who may choose to spread notice of his wares on its folds and the man in the ranks has a very modest place in public esteem until 'troop ships float on the tide

"These national characteristics which become governmental ones in a democracy like ours make it impossible to organize and discipline an effective army from the point of view of military experts'

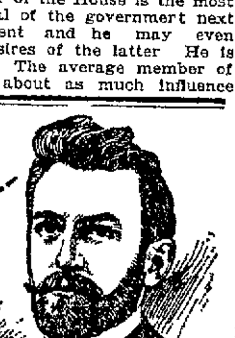
SOUTHERN PACIFIC MAY BUY FLEET

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—The Journal of Commerce today says

It was stated on good authority yesterday that the Southern Pacific Railroad Company is negotiating for the purchase of the fleet of the Commercial Lighterage Company Such an acquisition by the Morgan line would be in line with the policy of other prominent lines that have acquired lighterage fleets of their own

The Manhattan Lighterage & Transportation Company, which is at present handling the lighterage business of the Southern Pacific, was sold to the Central Railroad of New Jersey about two weeks ago Its contract with the Southern Pacific expires on December 20.

The Commercial Lighterage Company is capitalized at $300,000 and has offices at 17 Battery Place.



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HARRIMAN TO BE HEARD

HE WILL MAKE A REPLY TO STATEMENTS MADE BY RYAN.

NEW YORK, Dec 14—Edward Harriman wrote a letter to the Armstrong committee yesterday asking that an opportunity be granted him to go again upon the witness stand in the legislative insurance investigation and testify regarding his attempt, as described by Thomas F. Ryan on Tuesday, to share in the purchase of the majority stock of the Equitable Life Assurance Society.

The committee informed Mr Harriman that he could have such an opportunity any time he wanted it, and it is said to be likely that he will testify today

The committee had not taken any formal action in the matter of recalling Mr Harriman but had been waiting, it is said, to see whether he would ask for an opportunity to reply to Mr. Ryan. Mr Harriman, it is expected, will be asked among other things, about Mr Ryan's assertion that in the negotiations Mr Harriman referred to his political influence, and also whether any arrangement had been made whereby a political leader was to become a figure in the insurance world if Mr. Harriman succeeded in getting a share of the Equitable stock and was allowed to name two trustees to act with Grover Cleveland, Morgan J O'Brien and George W Westinghouse in the election of directors

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COTTON BROTHERS SUE FOR MONEY

Mandamus proceedings have been begun by Cotton Brothers to make County Auditor G. W Bacon pay their demands, totaling up $5487, against Alameda county for work done by them on the bridge between Alvarado and Mount Eden The latter was argued before Judge Melvin yesterday afternoon.

The claim of Cotton Brothers is that they were called upon to do the work under the emergency rule and that after they got into it they found that there would be more work than was first expected, but went on and completed it to the amount of their bill.

Under the rules of the Board of Supervisors work that costs more than $500 must be let out by contract, but it is claimed that this was work that had to be done and that they were told to go on and finish it. The Supervisors allowed the claim which was presented by Cotton Brothers in sums of $500 each to technically comply with the law, but when they were presented to Auditor Bacon he held up the claims until he could get a ruling on it from District Attorney Allen, who said that there was a point of law involved and it would be better to let Cotton Brothers sue for their money and thus pass the matter up to the courts

In the argument today District Attorney Allen appears for Auditor Bacon, while William R. Davis appears for Cotton Brothers

"THE OLD SCRATCH."

How the Evil One Came To Be Popularly Known as "The Old Scratch."

One of the many familiar names of his satanic majesty is "The Old Scratch." It is undoubtedly due to the fact that scratching is so disagreeable that people thought it no worse than the evil one. A scalp full of dandruff keeps one scratching all the time; and is not only disagreeable but is considered very inelegant in polite society—as it should be—because one ought to keep the scalp so clean that it would not itch. To cure the scalp of dandruff effectively, use Newbro's Herpicide. It kills the germ that creates the dandruff, which is preliminary to falling hair, and, finally, baldness. No other hair preparation kills the dandruff germ. Herpicide also is a very delightful and effective hair-dressing. Sold by leading druggists. Send 10 cents in stamps [illegible]

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

THE ATHENS—J B. Sperry, Oakland, W. V. Wichter Newman; J. P. Hall, San Mateo

CRELLIN—W A. Bell, Placerville; A. Riverhaminn, W. B. Berry, San Francisco; A. W. Ricky, Port Costa; I. Greenwold and wife, Stockton, N. G. Colvin, Ern. Arroba, San Francisco.

ALBANY—Mrs. Covert, Oakland, Hart Wood, San Francisco; H. Wilson Nevada, Professor C Rodgers, Oakland, George Curtis, Woodland, William Allison, Cleveland, O., Charles Oberlin, Omaha, Neb.; A. B. Cramer, Chicago, Ill.

ARLINGTON—J. H. Millhouse and wife, Sumner, Neb; C. H. Hanson and wife, Denver, Colo., F. Hobbs, San Jose, R. H. Morris, Lodi; Mrs. Steodose, Point Richmond; Mrs Anastino and child, Pontiac, Mich.; Mrs. A. Summerville and nurse, Boston, Mass.; J. S. Saunders, San Francisco, H. A. Hobart, Oshkosh, Wis.; J. C Horner, Oroville; S. S. Hutchins, Hayward; S. Caldwell and daughter, Alameda; S. J. Messing, J. M. Bell, San Francisco; A. J. Sweeney, Niles, M. Davidson, J. Stein, Stockton.

GALINDO—R. H. Egerton and wife, Springfield, Ill.; W. M. Whiter, C. E. Convlin, Oakland; L. F Leven, San Leandro; C. W. Atkins, Boise, Idaho, Fred Frisby, Richmond.

ALLEGED DESERTER ACCUSED.

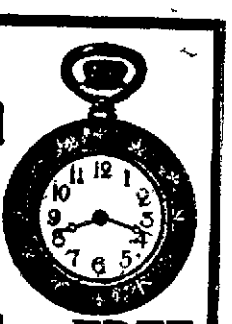
Donald Woodside, who was arrested for being a deserter from the United States navy and detained in the County Jail here, was taken to San Francisco yesterday on a bench warrant from the Superior Court of that county, he being wanted there for an assault with a deadly weapon committed on [illegible] the father, who turned out the gas while his daughter had a caller.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following mariage licenses were issued by the County Clerk today:

Sol Lowenberg, San Francisco	45
Henrietta A. Walter, Oakland	45
Frank W Meisenbach, Newark	26
Edna M. Burdick, Newark	17
Louis J Lutticken, San Francisco	35
Bessie E L Frier, Alameda	26
Harry F. Buckler, Oakland	23
Mabel E Rogers, Oakland	23

Did it ever occur to you that nearly all the books on the art of acquiring wealth were written by poor men?



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